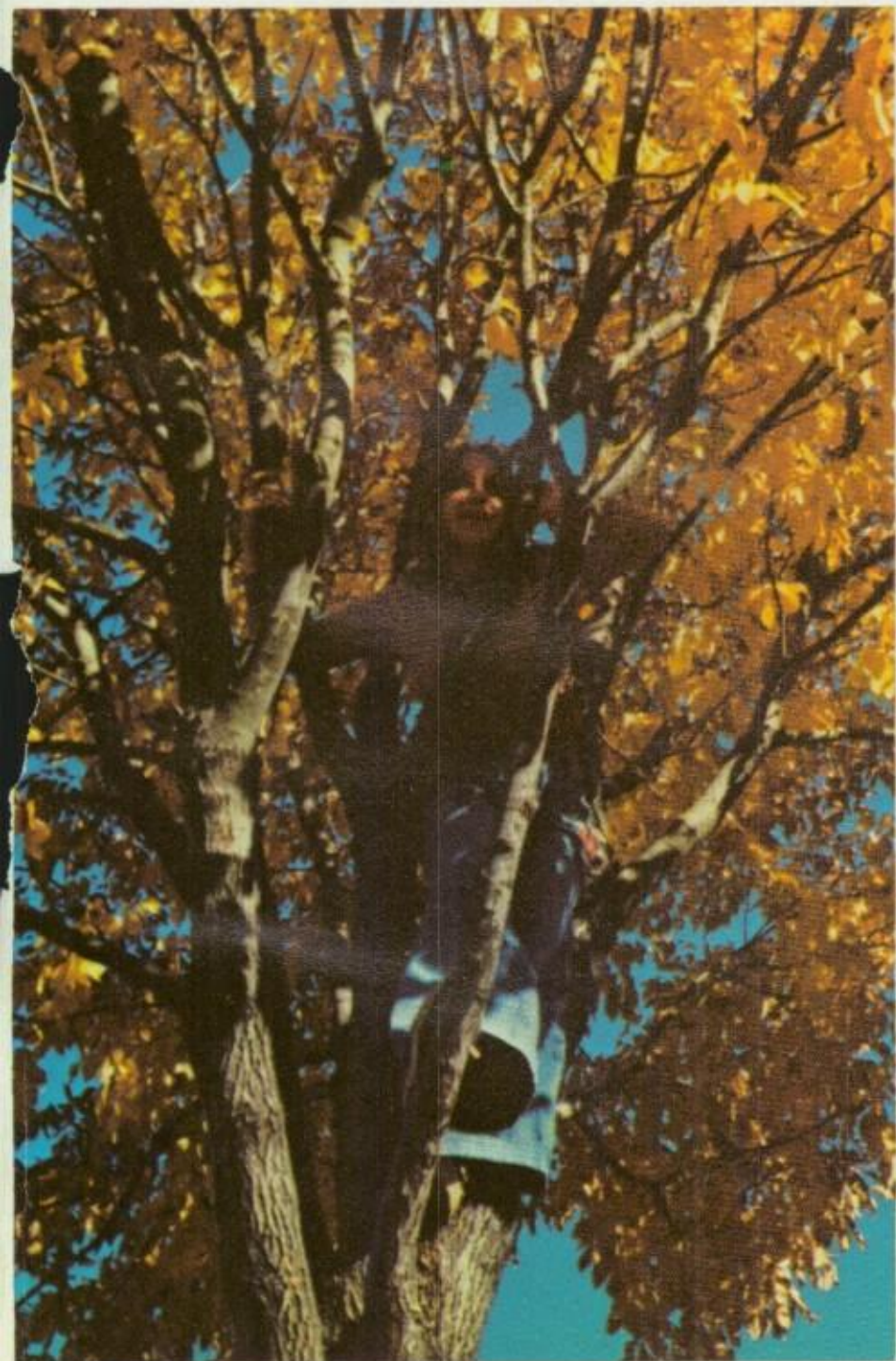




THE OAK

TOWERING OAKS BAPTIST SCHOOL

*Memphis, Tennessee
1974-1975
Volume II*



LOOKING FORWARD TO A NEW YEAR

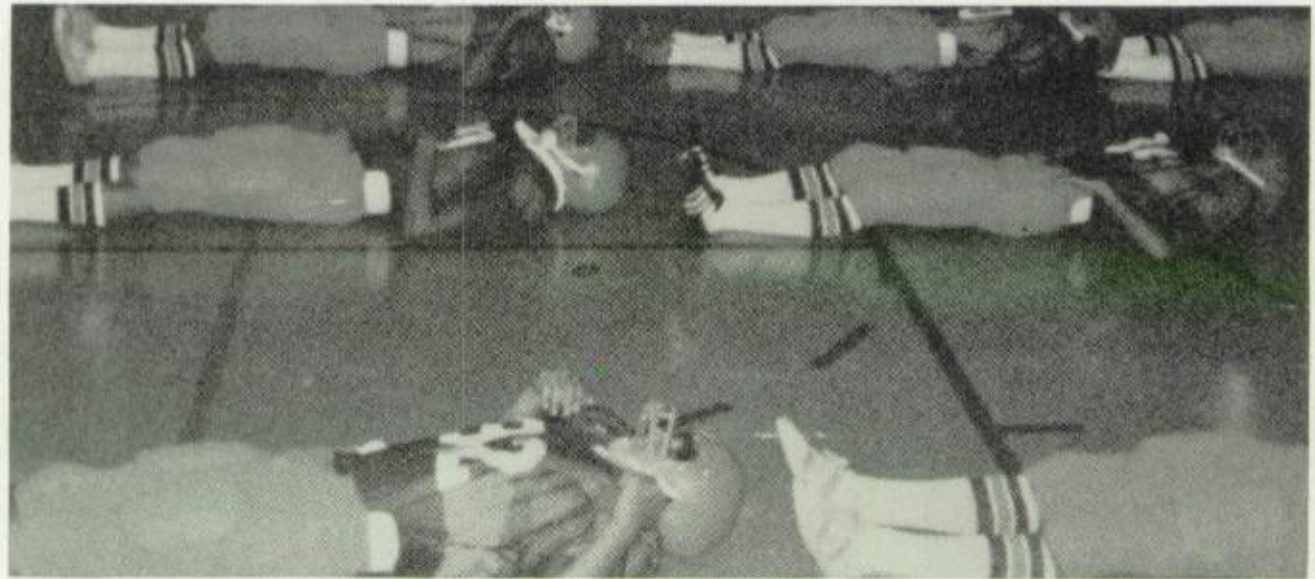


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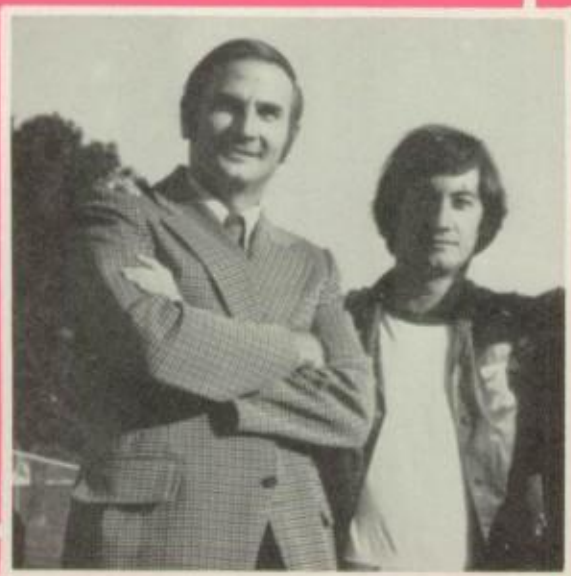


MR. GREENE?

This book portrays the story of young people who strive together to gain knowledge and to form a set of high ideals. These students, the future leaders and developers, create the structure of our school. Towering Oaks Baptist School is not just a building; it contains people who walk its halls, spread its fame and live our creed.

Bustling halls and crowded passages
Chapels and assemblies that increase knowledge
Teachers who show the way
An experienced principal who understands
Excellent fellowship in student activities
Spirited pep meetings for our teams
Lasting relationships and friendships

As you turn the pages of this volume, you will see these situations and others much like them come to life before your eyes. The real Towering Oaks will now unfold . . .



*Faculty
and
Administration*

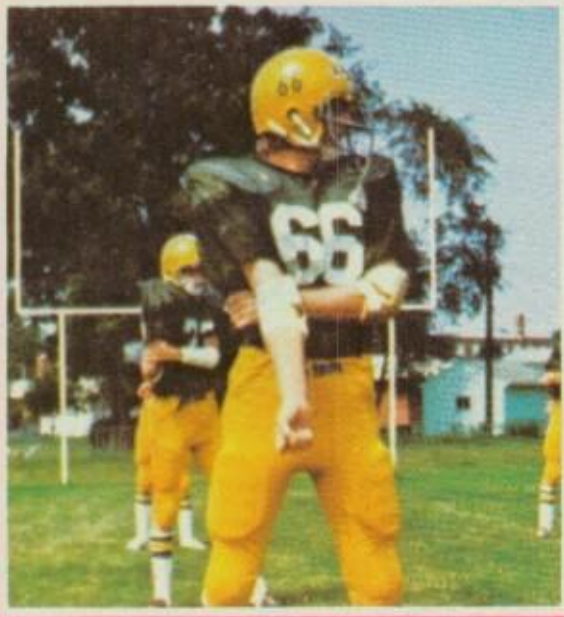
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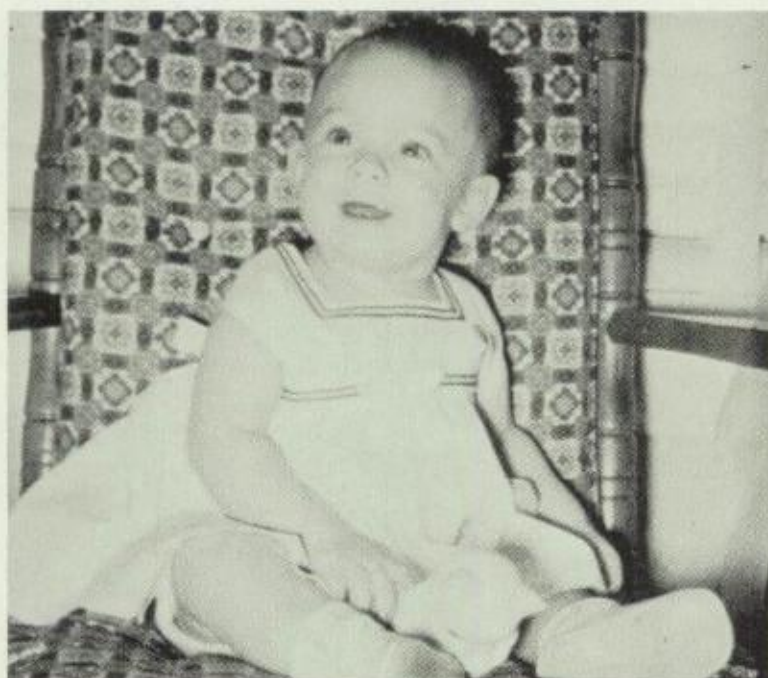
Seniors:

From nature springs life - a painful challenge.
And from life stems knowledge - an awful fiend.
But, yet, a satisfying angel. Through the
Progression of experience one learns of his
Truthful existence. Is this not optimistic?
The yell of negation cries that not all find
Truth in life. If this be, will falsehood
Interrupt the search for absolute reality?
Beauty, indeed, can lead one in the right
Direction, for Beauty signifies a perfect
Molding process. The hands of humanity are
Not perfect. Appreciation can have only a few
Detours, and Appreciation does lead to con-
Victions. Glory! Compassion implies there is
A need. How true! The sojourners of life
Cry out for the need of truth, and compassion
For life can send one to truth. Uncertainty
Stalks at our neighbor's door. This is the same
As death. Remember the commandment, Love Thy
Neighbor. If he asks for truth, will you give
Him a lie? Education pleads for individual
Searching, will you harden your hearts? Your
Paths need to be broadened before they can be
Righteous. Fill your ears with the sound of life.

"In the Beginning God"

William J. Greene

*There is a place in the yearbook for pleasant
reminders of:*



Past



Present



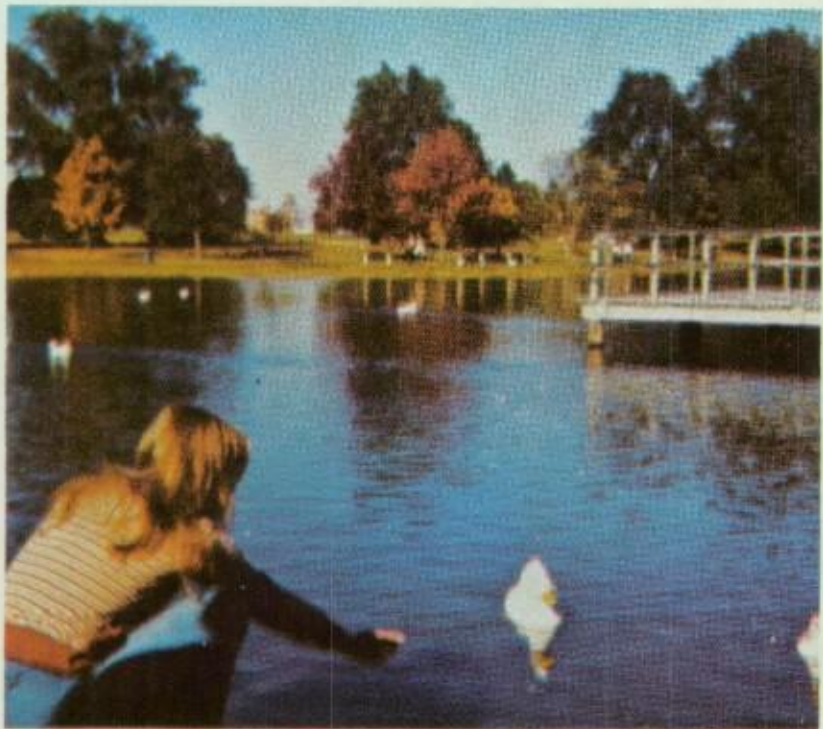
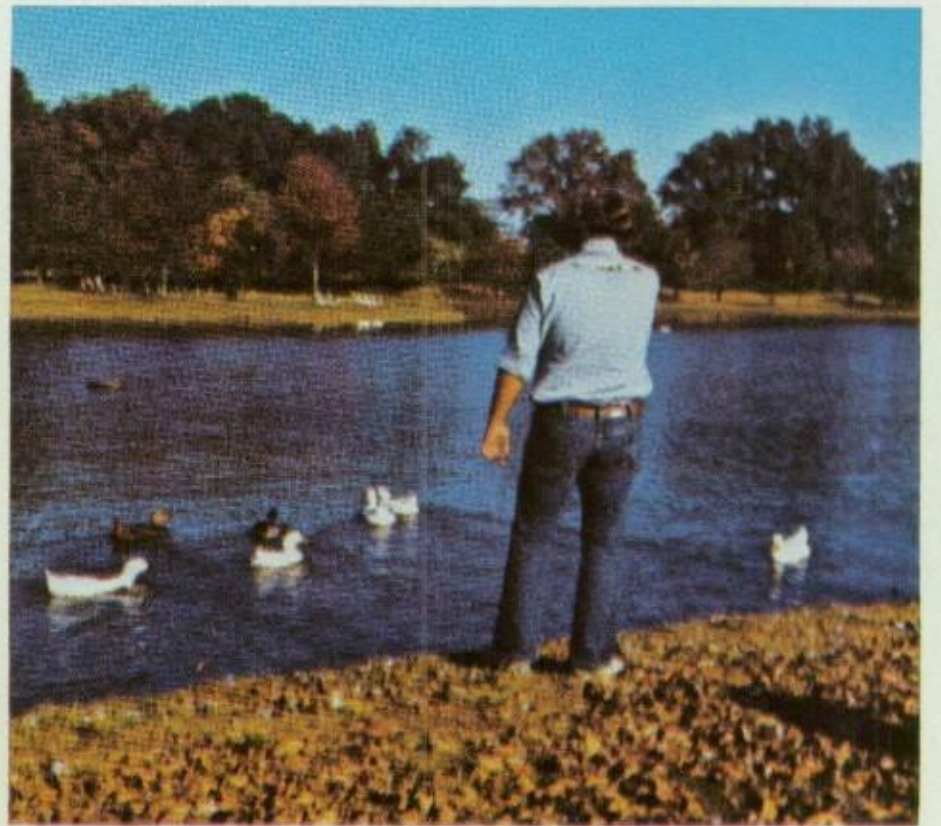
*and
Future*

Dedication

The Senior Class of 1975, to whom we dedicate this edition of THE OAK, will always hold a unique place in the hearts of all those who follow them. Our first graduating class possesses many of the qualities which Emerson, in his writings, deems as important. They are of noble character and high ideals; they set for themselves high goals relating to their life and to their work. They aspire to truth, goodness, and beauty of spirit.

For all these reasons, We, the 1974-1975 staff of THE OAK, wish to pay tribute to those whom we feel Emerson would hold in high regard as we do, our friends and fellow students, The Senior Class. They shall be sorely missed.



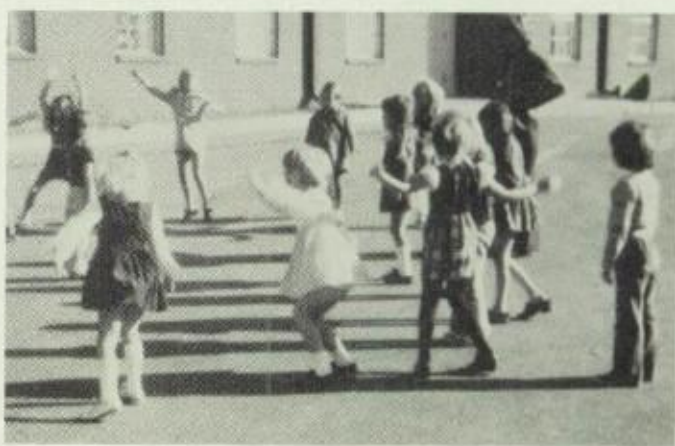


Nostalgia

"How dear to this heart are the scenes of my childhood, When fond recollection presents them to view."

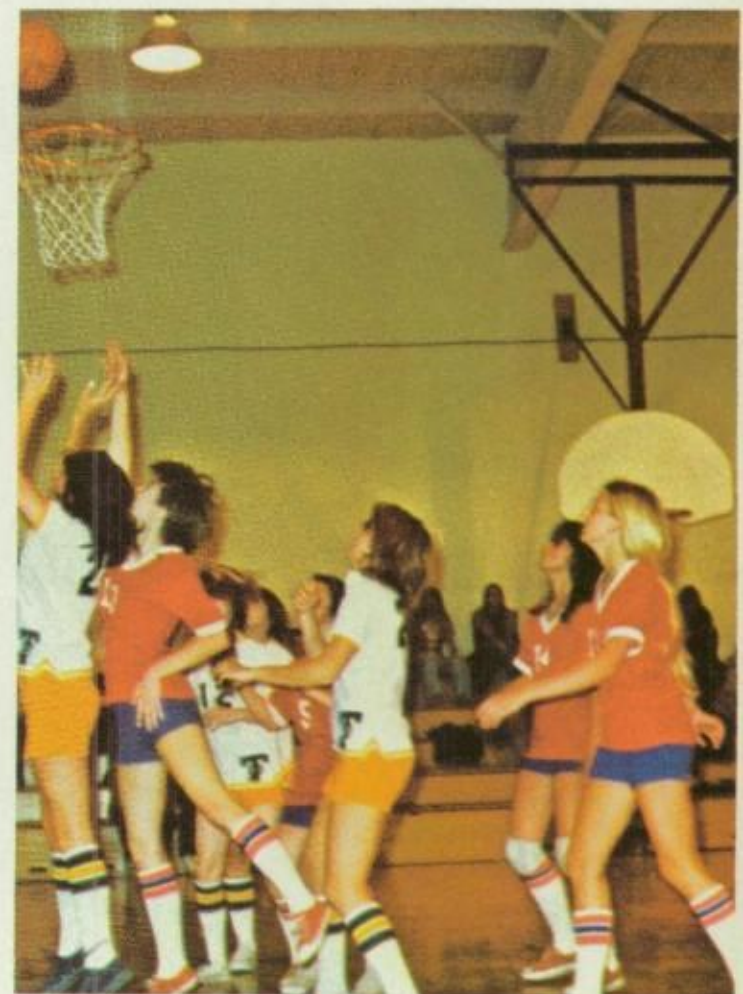
When you think about the past you will think about . . .





. . . Sports

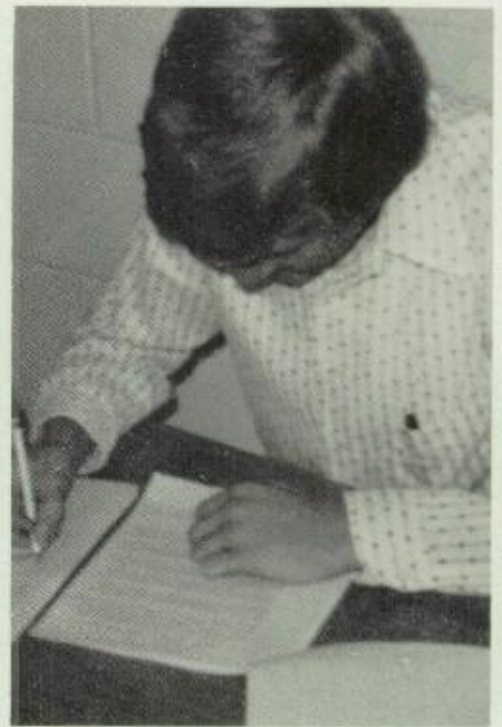
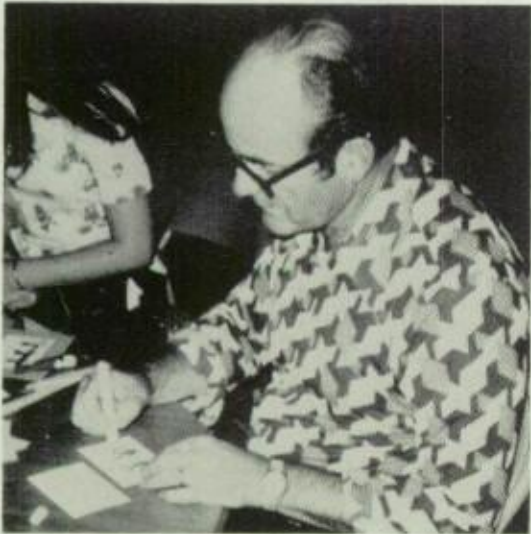




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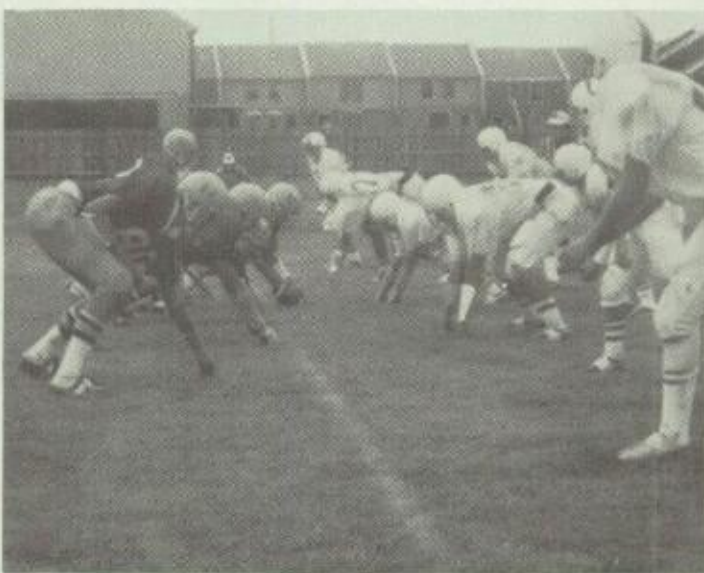
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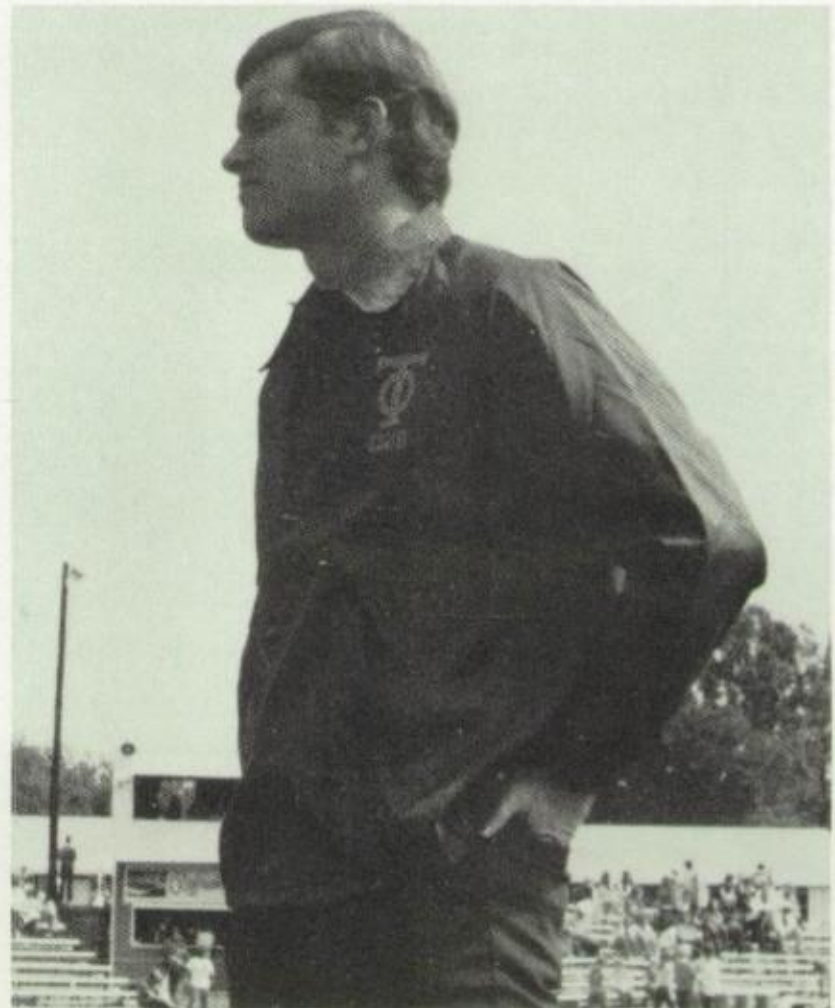
Excitement







The year brings examples of victory. Togetherness cannot be explained by noises or words. It is best considered in the quietness of our afterthoughts.



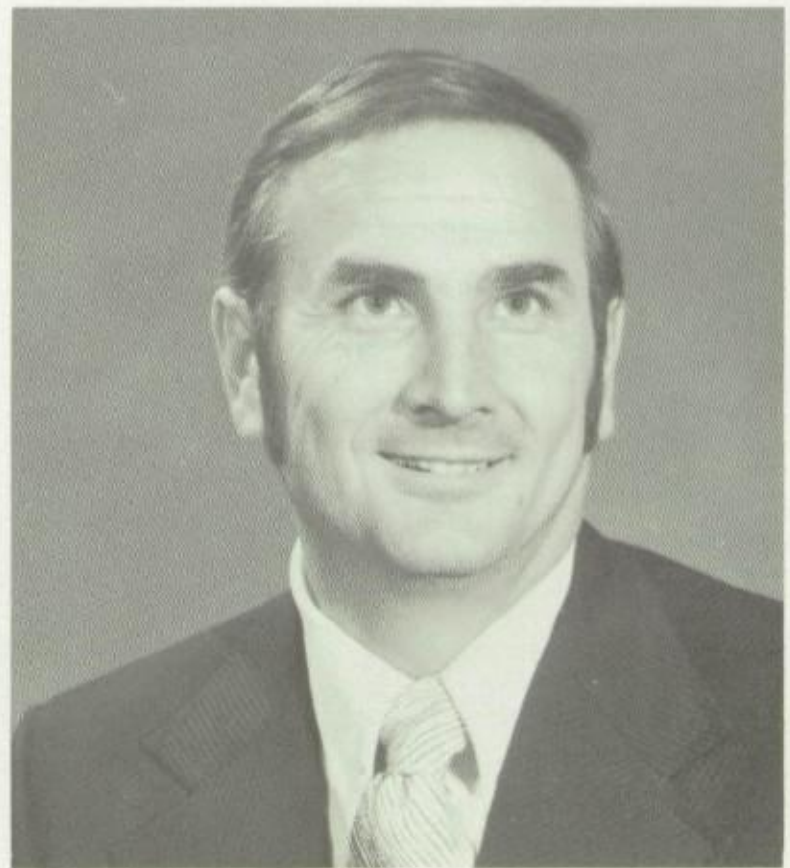
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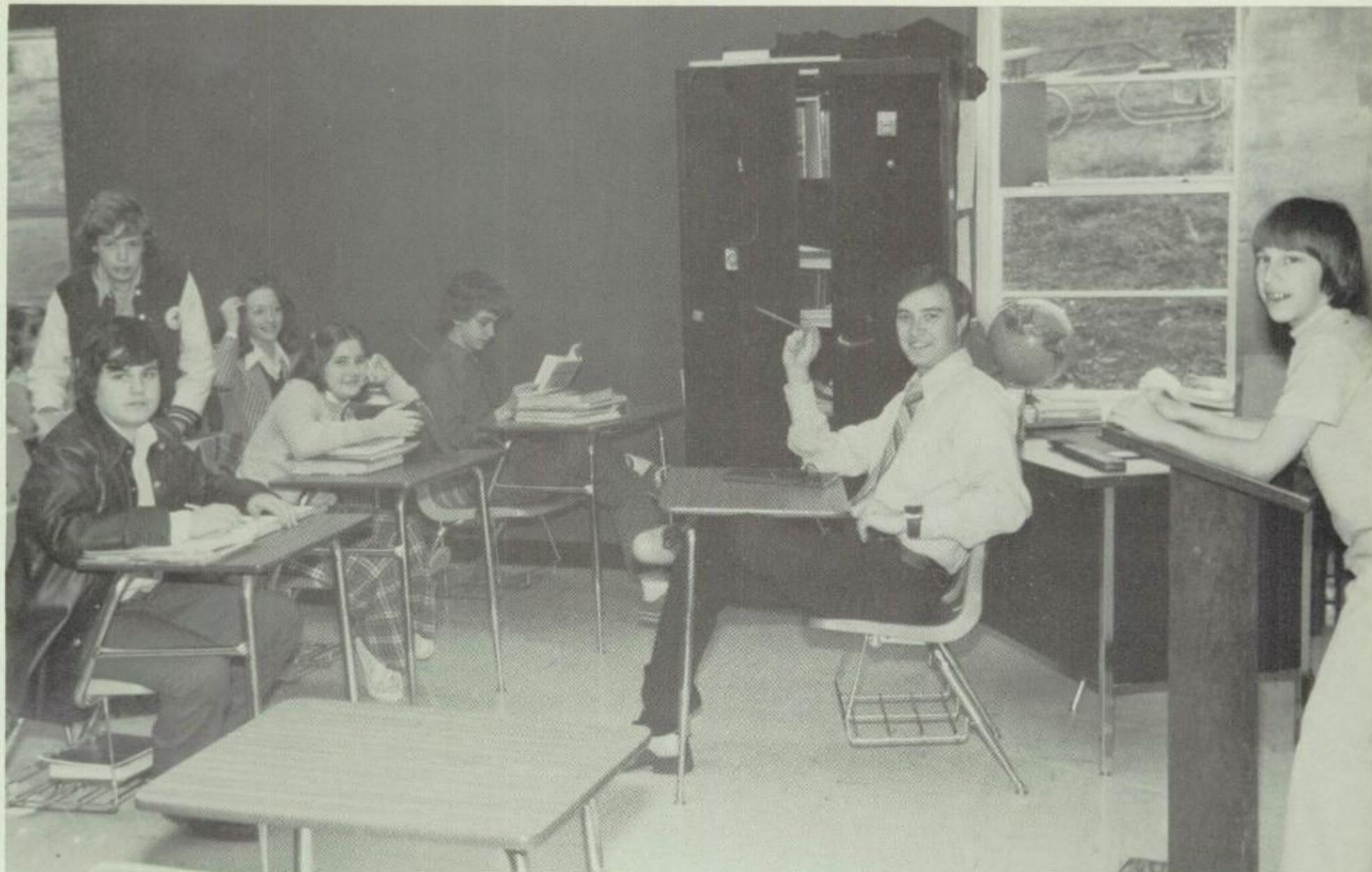
OK

Our Headmaster — Mr. Dan J. Childs

Few students realize the problems and work of a Headmaster. A school with the number of clubs, organizations, and activities as Towering Oaks requires many hours of thought, consideration, and preparation.

Our Headmaster has guided our school in order to help boys, girls, men, and women produce qualities for a concerned future. This year, Mr. Dan Childs, has counseled with teachers, parents and students individually and we are indeed grateful for his leadership and guidance.





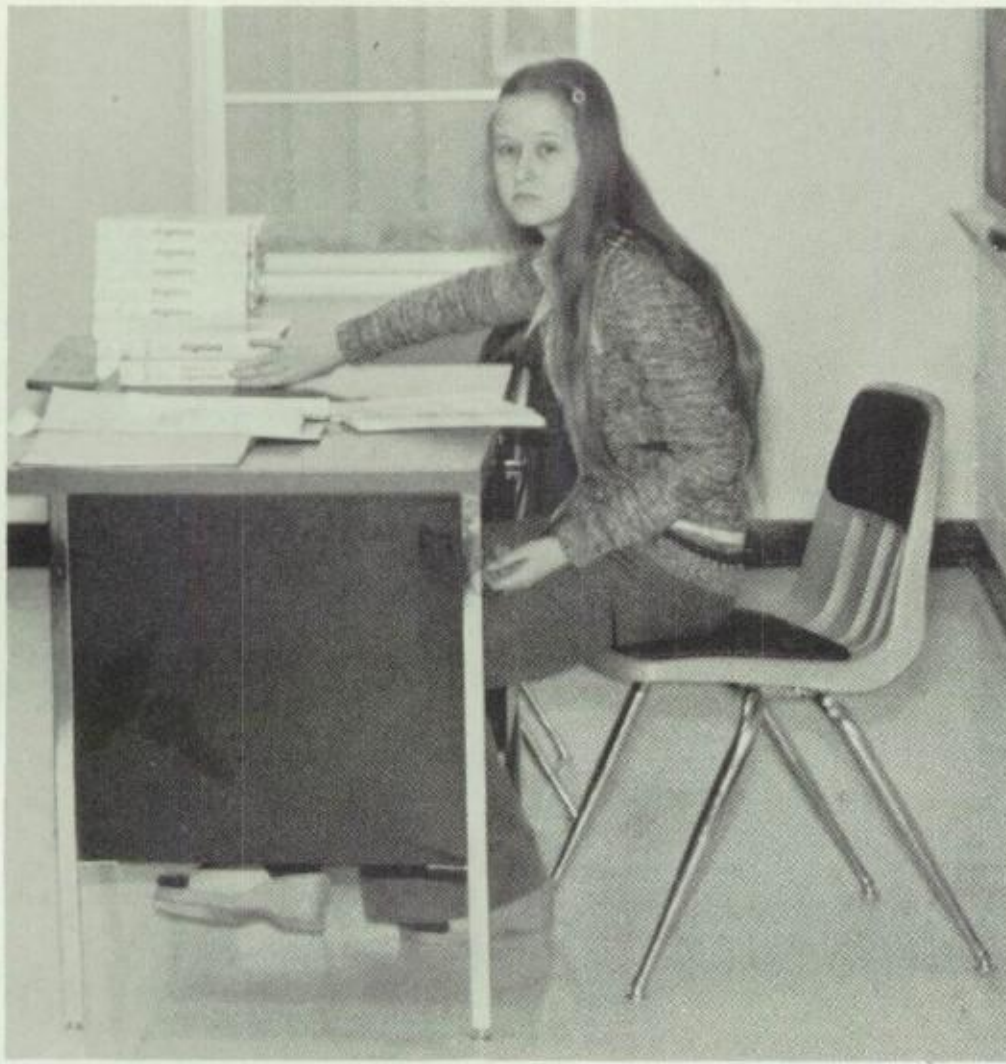
Classwork can be fun! Especially when the photographer sticks his head into the room.



Brother Max L. Taylor

We, the staff of 1974-1975 annual, would like to take this small space to thank Reverend Max L. Taylor, who without his excellent leadership and faith this school, annual and church would not have been. No space in this annual would begin to show our appreciation and love for Brother Taylor.



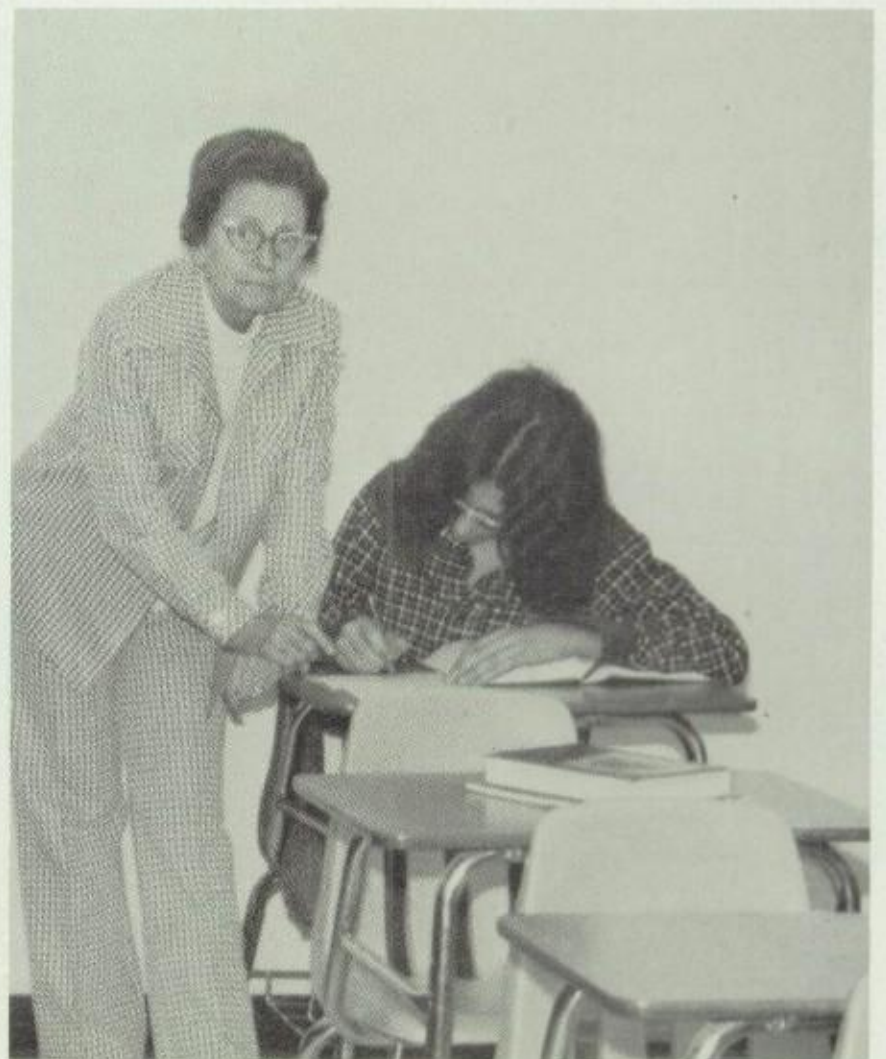


High School Faces

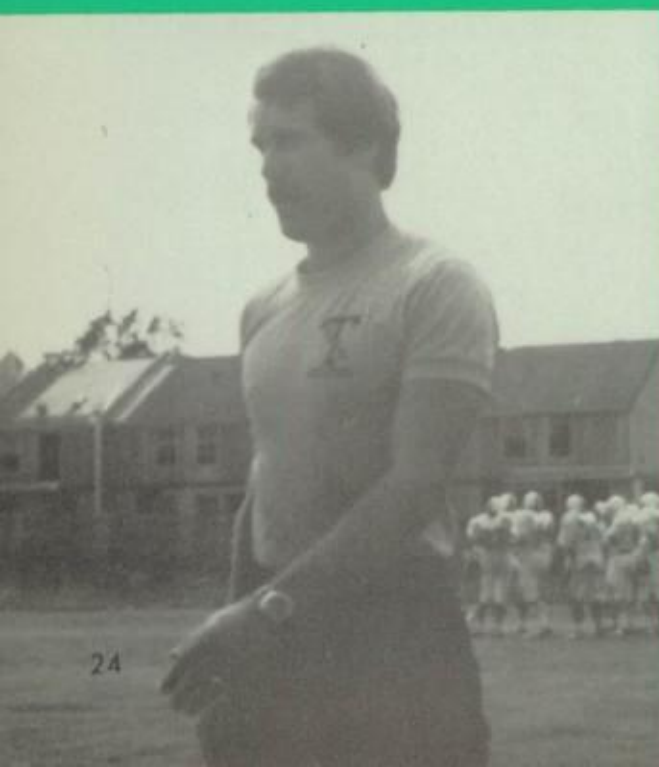
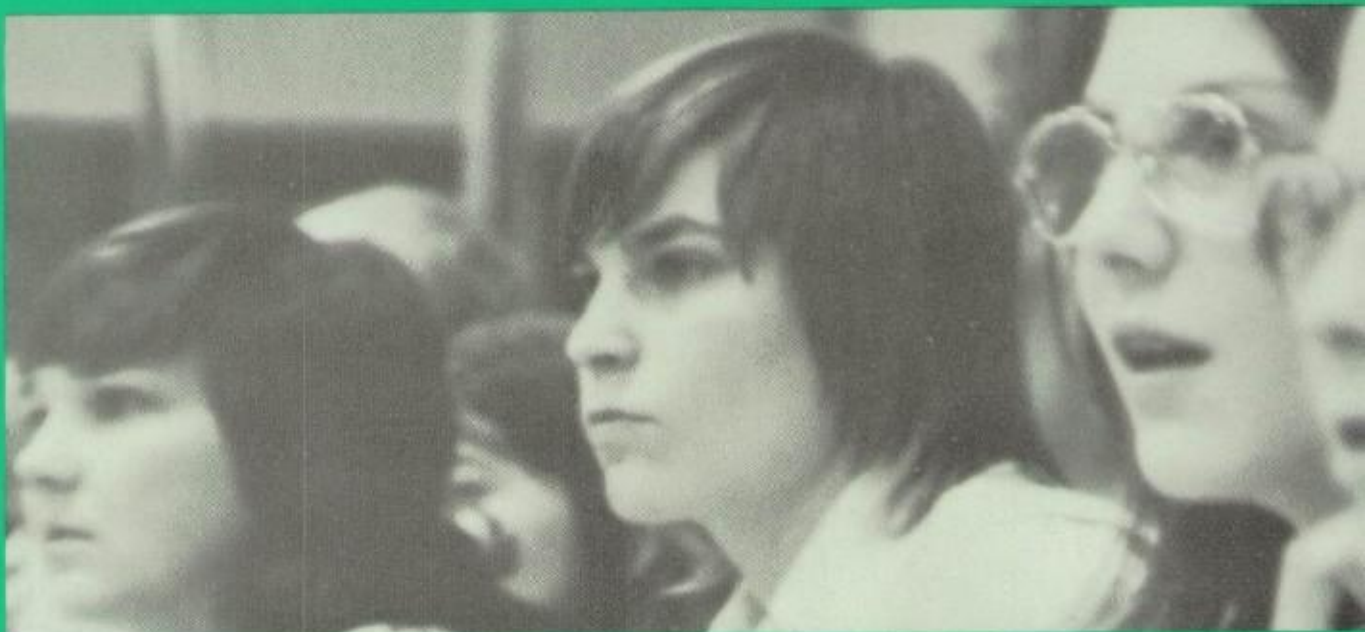
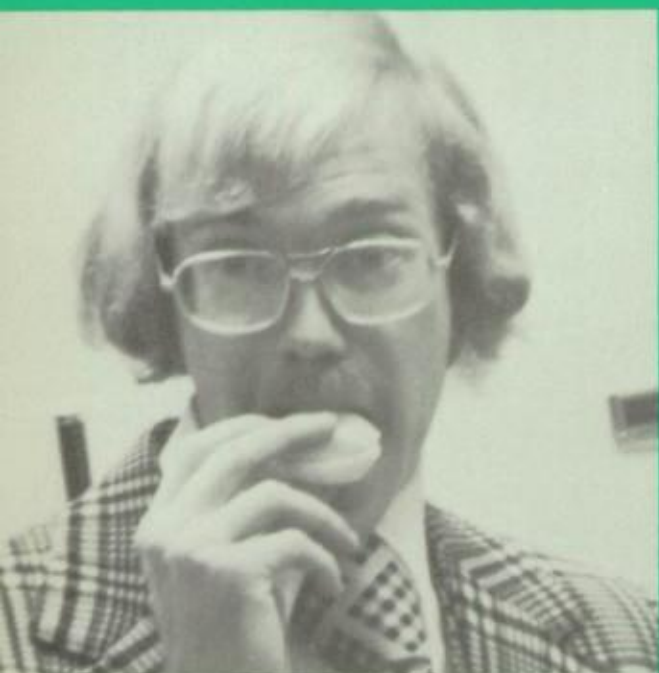
It's hard to use Algebra when you're just counting books.

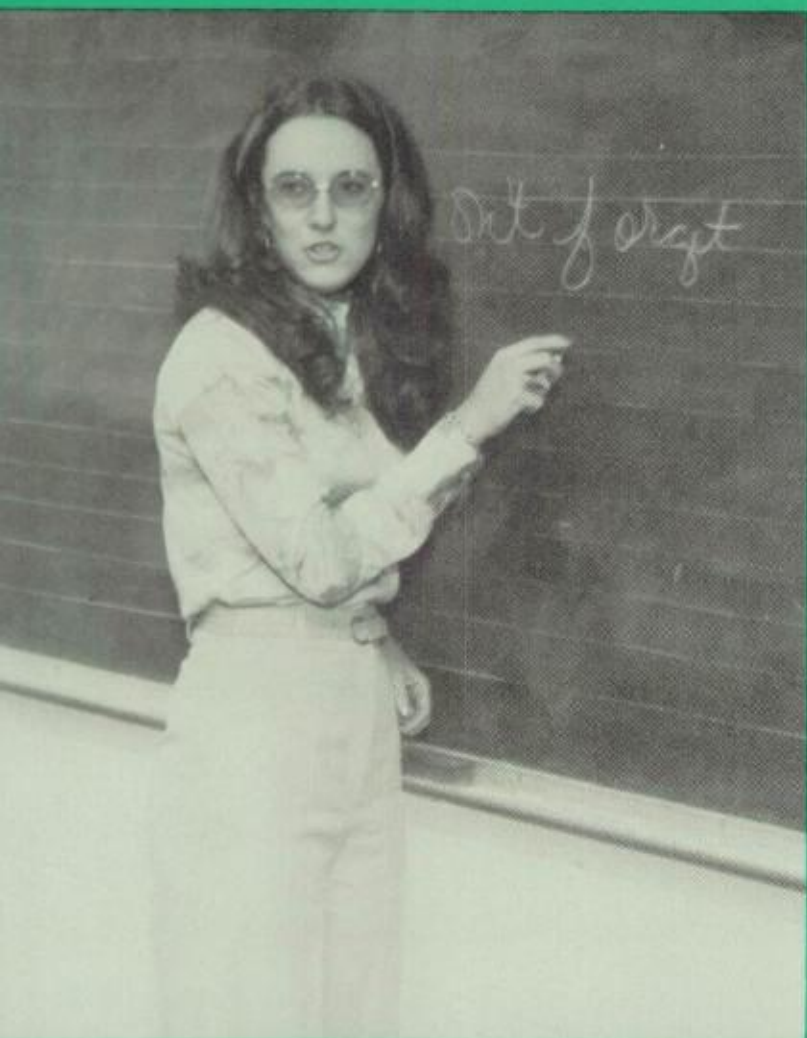


Yak, Yak, Yak, Yak!!



Mrs. Yancey caught in the act of helping our drummer.





New Teachers and Staff

Mrs. Sherry Spiller is Towering Oaks new secretary. A graduate of Union University in Jackson, Tennessee, Mrs. Spiller, holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Physical Education and has taught school for three years. Her hobbies include sports, especially volleyball, and sewing.

This year we have two elementary additions to the Towering Oaks faculty. Mrs. Geraldine Shackelford teaches fourth grade and is a graduate of the University of Arkansas. She holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Education and has taught in Arkansas and Missouri. Mrs. Shackelford is married and the mother of two boys, Craig and Mark.

Miss Debbie Johnson is teaching sixth grade. Miss Johnson comes to Towering Oaks from Nashville, Tennessee and is a graduate of the University of Tennessee at Martin.

Mrs. Dorothy Hays Ousley comes to Towering Oaks from Balmoral Baptist School where she taught Spanish. She enjoys art and has also taught it. Her other hobbies include sewing. Mrs. Ousley holds her Bachelor of Arts from Mississippi State University in Spanish and English. She is now working on her Master's degree in Spanish at Memphis State University. Mrs. Ousley is married and the mother of a boy and a girl.



MRS. SHERRY
SPILLER



MRS. GERALDINE
SHACKELFORD



MISS DEBBIE
JOHNSON



MRS. DOROTHY
HAYS
OUSLEY

Elementary Faculty



Learning can be fun!!!

MRS. OMA BARBER
Memphis State University
First Grade

MRS. ANN BAUMGARTNER
Belmont College
Sixth Grade

MRS. LINDA BERRY.
Physical Education Aid



MRS. PATRICIA BRITTON
Memphis State University
Fourth Grade

MRS. LINDA BUCKNER
Memphis State University
Fifth Grade

MRS. CHERYL BUTLER
MSU
Second Grade





MRS. SUSAN COTTEN
Memphis State University
First Grade



MRS. MERTICE DAVIS
Memphis State University
Third Grade



MRS. NELL DUNCAN
MSCW
Third Grade



MRS. LYNDA FREEMAN
Mississippi State
Second Grade



MRS. LEE GRIMES
Second Grade



MRS. PATRICIA HIGHT
Memphis State University
Fourth Grade



MISS SUE KUHN
University of Tennessee
Fifth Grade



MR. GARY MURPHY
Memphis State University
Elementary P.E.



MRS. LEE PARKER
Memphis State University
Fifth Grade



MRS. CHARLENE PATTERSON
Memphis State University
Sixth Grade



MRS. CAROL POPLÉ
Samford University
Kindergarten



MRS. EMILY RUTHERFORD
First Grade



MRS. MARY BETH RUTLEDGE
Mississippi State
Sixth Grade

MRS. JO FAYE STIMSON
Arkansas State
Elementary Music

"MISS DEBBIE" STRICKLAND
Ouachita Baptist
Third Grade



MRS. VIRGINIA THURMAN
Memphis State University
Fifth Grade

MRS. CHERRI TUNSTALL
Mississippi State
Fourth Grade

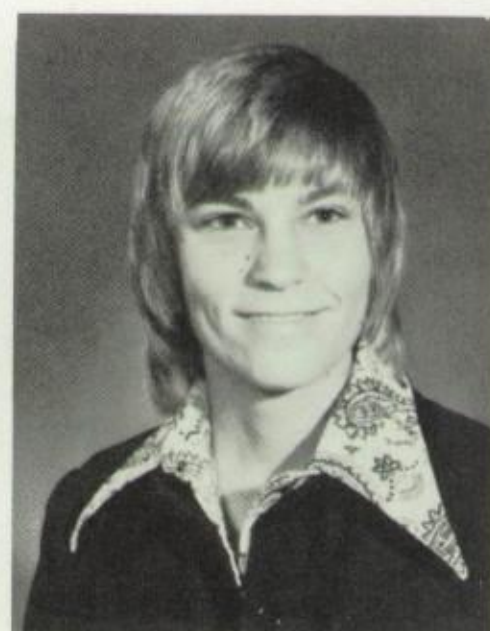




MRS. JOHNNIE BELOTE
Science 8, 9



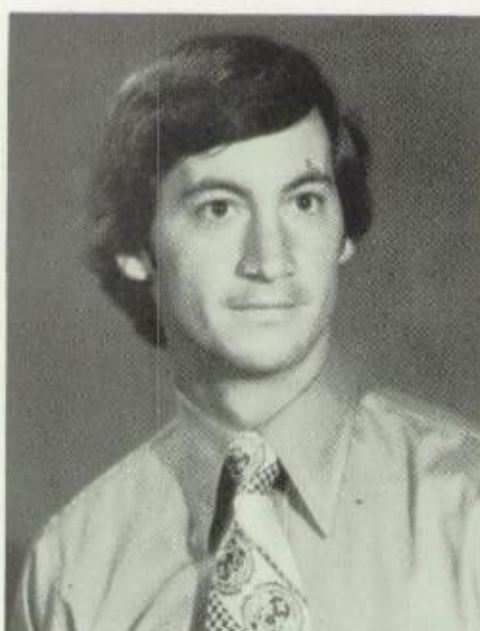
MRS. ANITA BLANKINSHIP
University of Tenn.
English 8, Physical Education



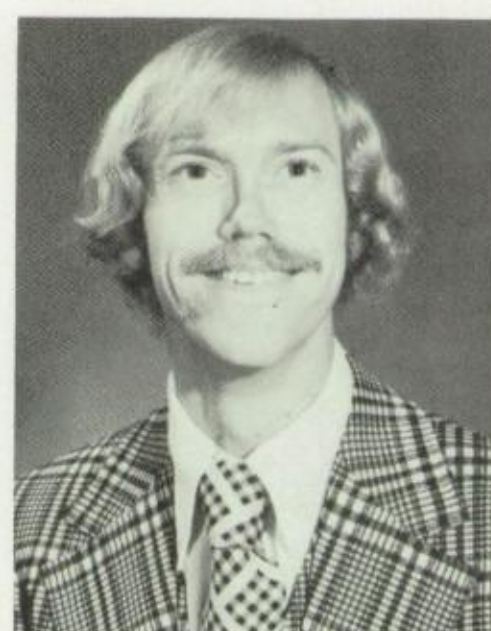
MISS JENNIE BRADFORD
Memphis State University
Physical Education



MISS KAREN BRANDON
Southern Illinois University
Bible



MR. RONNIE DOSS
Memphis State University
Physical Education



MR. CRAIG GALLOWAY
Memphis State University
Art, Driver's Ed



Tea for Two -
Hundred and Forty-Two

High School Faculty



MRS. CHERYL GORMAN
Delta State
Math 7, 8, 9



MRS. BARBARA "BABS" HENDRIX
MSCW
English 10, 11



MRS. JUDY LINDER
Memphis State University
American History, World History,
Government



MR. RICHARD LINDER
Memphis State University
Science 9, Biology



"Are you sure you lost the Driver's
Ed car with twenty students in it?!"



Oh, say can you see
...

"Today's lesson is first aid.
I would get up to demon-
strate, but my legs are
bandaged to the chair!"





MRS. KAY MASHBURN
Memphis State University
Latin, Math



MISS JANIE "DOLLY"
MATTHEWS
Memphis State University
English, Art



MRS. LINDA MAY
Memphis State University
Vocal Music



MISS NANCY McCOMAS
Memphis State University
English 8 and 9



Where are those kids going with the ball?



It's the real thing!



MRS. SHERRY MONTGOMERY
Memphis State
Librarian



MRS. JEANNINE NEUEN
Belmont College
Home Economics



MRS. BETH OTT
Mississippi State University
Typing, Bookkeeping, Office
Practice, Shorthand



MISS JANET OWEN
University of Tennessee
French I and II, English 7



MR. THOMAS PATTERSON
Vanderbilt University
Chemistry, Physics, Science 9



MRS. CAROL RAGLAND
Memphis State University
Spanish I and II





MR. JIMMY SPARKS
Arkansas State University
Bible



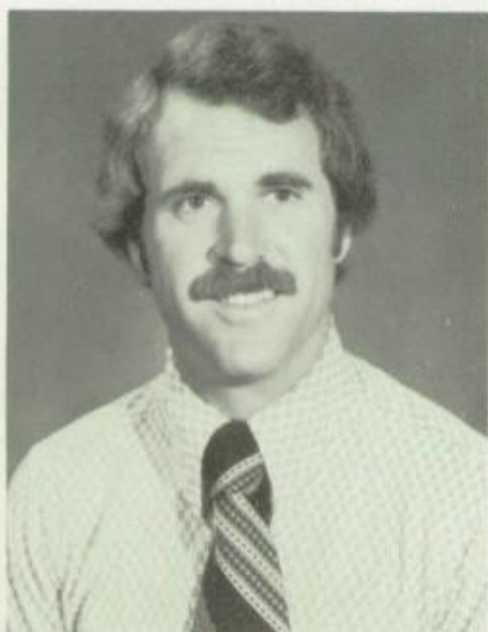
MRS. JANIE SWARTZ
Memphis State University
Algebra I and II



"Coaches ALWAYS Lean on Players"



MRS. EUNICE YANCEY
Memphis State University
Geometry, Algebra II,
Trigonometry



MR. FRED YANCEY
Memphis State University
Civics, World Geography



When do we eat??

Secretaries

We especially want to thank our secretaries for their efforts and help in working with faculty and students. They have added a degree of proficiency in handling club finances, bookstore revenue, checking records and other innumerable clerical tasks.



SHELBY ERNEST



LEAHGONE HELVESTON



BETTY STEWART



PAT TRIM





"Olé!"



There was plenty of good food at Mrs. Baumgartner's party.



Hup! Two! Three! Four!



What do you mean? You sat on your peanut butter and jelly sandwich!!



Work, Work, Work!

Maintenance and Staff

At Towering Oaks a very difficult job falls on the capable shoulders of Mr. Fred Heflin, Barbara Stewart, Arnora Dortch, Willie Gatewood, Quinton Dortch and Annie Williams. They are kept busy repairing and making sure everything is in working order. The campus and halls are cleaned every day and the job of housekeeping is no easy task at T. O. B. S. Our reliable staff is always ready to meet the problems of students and teachers.



Mr. Fred Heflin, in charge of building maintenance, is seen doing various jobs around the school at all hours. He seems to be a power house of energy.



Another familiar face seen during the day is Barbara Stewart, who is never too busy to stop and speak to a passing student.



Missed the Photographer the First Time

Hurry! Hurry! Hurry!



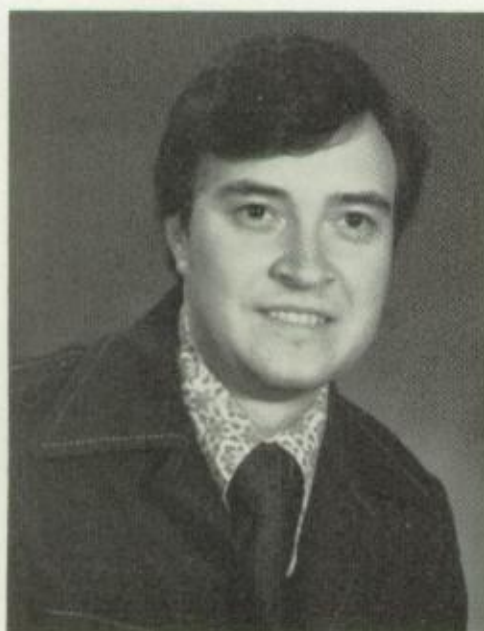
DR. WILLIAM J. GREENE
10th, 12th English and Speech



MISS CHARLOTTE GRISSOM
Second Grade



MR. PHILLIP WILSON
Band

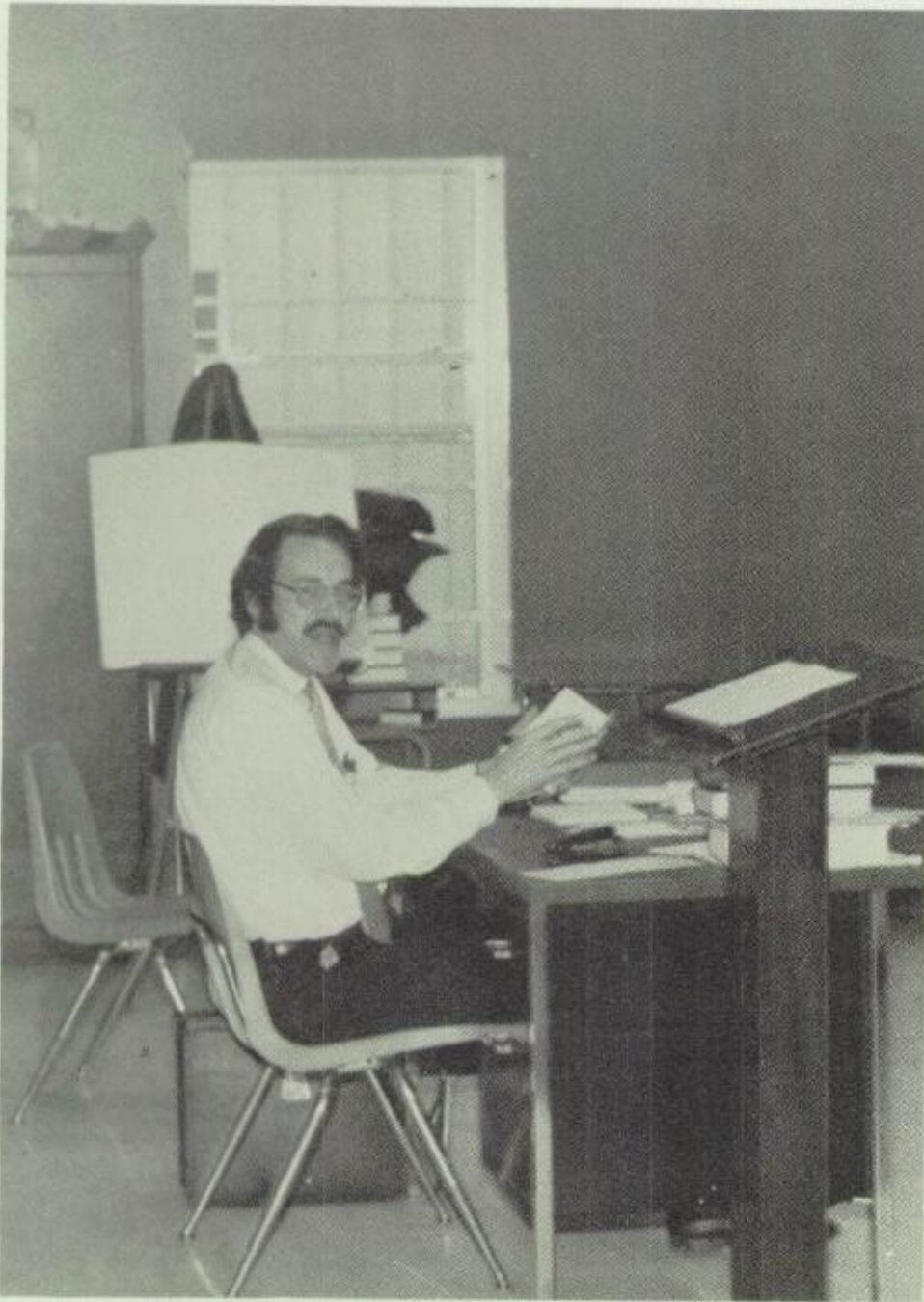


MR. GARY BLANKINSHIP
Jr. High History

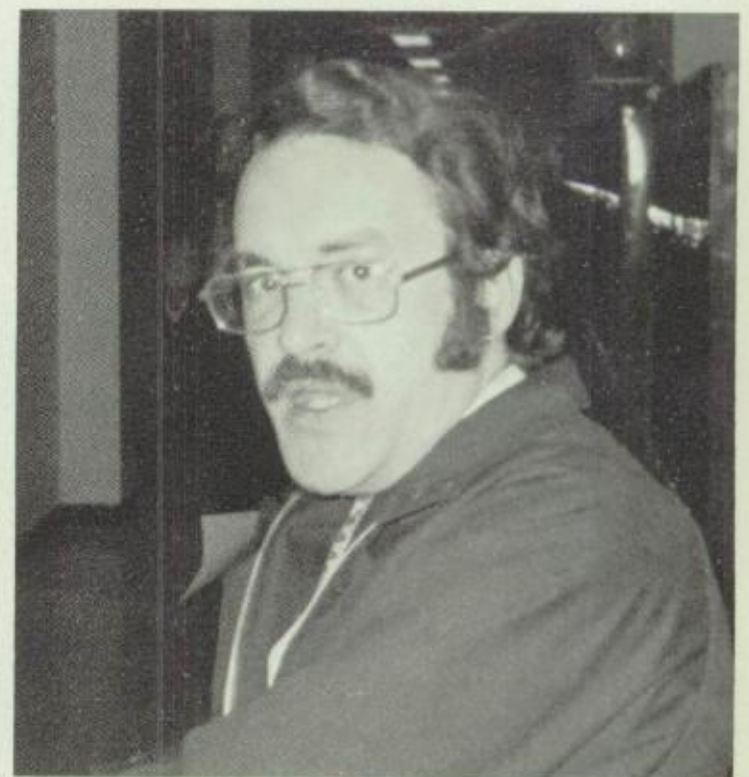


AND BABY BLANKINSHIP

The Inimitable Doctor Greene



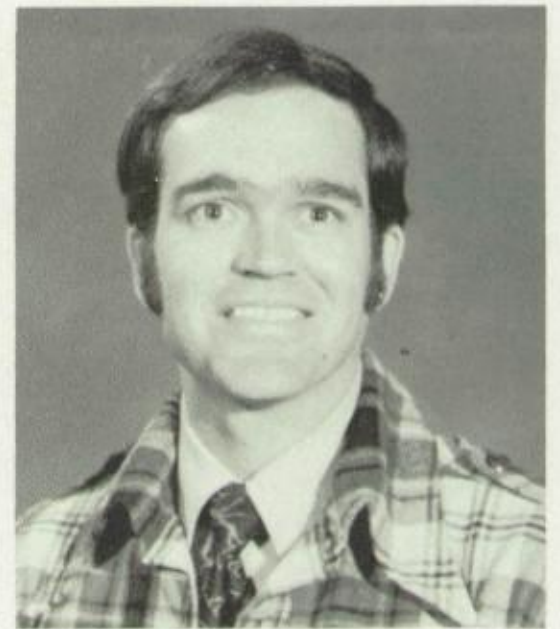
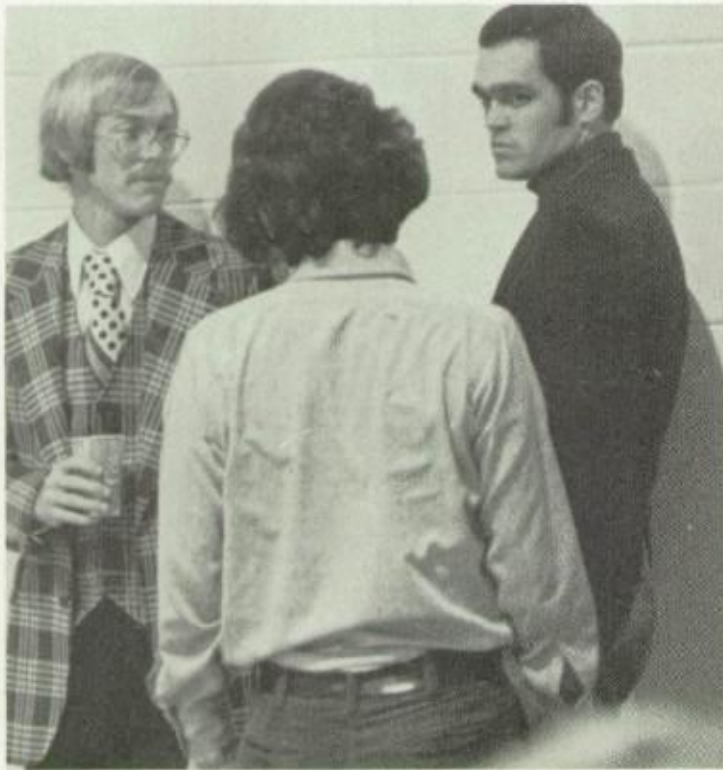
This page is dedicated to Dr. Greene from the members of the annual staff in deep appreciation of all that he has helped us to achieve.



Of course it's 12 pages long. What did you expect!?!

Mr. Roger Yancey *Our Administrative Aide*

Besides being an outstanding athletic director, Roger Yancey has helped with guidance, discipline, and academic problems. He has been a great influence on our school this year.



Don't worry about the mule being blind, just load the wagon.



Oh! This is so good, but then it's for adults only.



"Miss Dolly" rings a bell.



Mrs. Linder on her
Imperial throne.
Touch it and you'll
Turn to stone.



Anyone can get behind, even
teachers!



Mr. Patterson's perky peppy personal-
ity pulls the class through the day.

She likes spirit as well as sports.



*Senior
Class*

OK



PAUL WESLEY BRADSHAW

Majors - Science, Math
Plans to attend C.B.C. or the University of Tennessee



KAREN DEE BRANIM

Majors - Science, Math, Spanish
Activities - Annual Staff 3, 4; Chess Club 3;
Drama Club 3, 4; National Honor Society
4; Office Assistant 4; Spanish Club 3, 4
Plans to attend the University of Tennessee

LUCINDA LEE BURROUGHS

Majors - Math, Business
Activities - Annual Staff 3; Cheerleader
Captain 3; Drama Club 3, 4; National
Honor Society 4; Wolverette, Co-Captain
4; School Drama Production 3
Plans to attend UT at Martin



CYNTHIA DIANNE BUTLER

Major - Business
Activities - Drama Club 3, 4; School Drama
Production 3; Drill Team 4
Plans to attend UT at Martin





CYNTHIA DIANNE CALLAWAY

Majors - Music, Business
 Activities - Basketball 3, 4; Softball 3, 4
 Plans to attend Memphis State

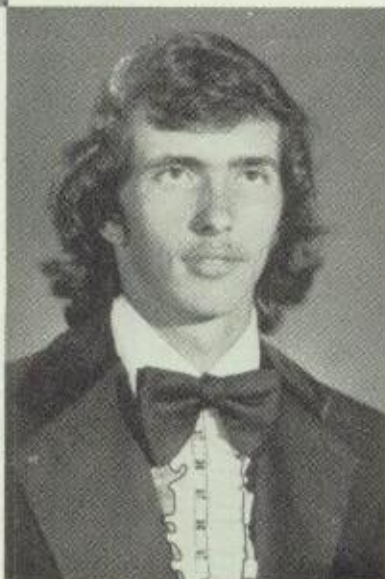


PEGGY LOUANNE CARTER

Major - Math
 Plans to attend Mississippi University for Women

STEPHEN DALE CHISM

Majors - Math, History
 Activities - Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4;
 Football 4
 Plans to attend Louisiana State University



JANET LYNNE COLLINS

Majors - Math, Home Economics, Business
 Activities - Annual Staff 3; Chorus 4;
 Softball 3; Drama Club 3, 4; Volleyball
 3, 4; Letterwomen 3, 4
 Plans to attend Union University



DEBORAH CAROL COULTER

Major - Business

Activities - Drill Team 4; Office Worker 4
Plans to attend Mid-South Bible College



LEANN CRAWFORD

Majors - Math, Science

Activities - Cheerleader 3, 4; Homecoming
Queen 3, 4; Drama Club 4; Junior Class
Officer 3

Plans to attend UT at Martin



LISA KAY DENEGRİ

Majors - Math, Social Studies

Activities - Annual Staff 3, 4; Lettergirl's
Club 3, 4; National Honor Society 4;
Basketball Team 4; Varsity Softball 3, 4;
Volleyball Captain

Plans to attend Vanderbilt



SHARON ATHALEE EMMONS

Majors - Science, Math

Activities - Annual Staff 3, 4; Drama Club
3, 4; French Club 4; Future Teachers of
America 4; National Honor Society 4

Plans to attend Vanderbilt





LESLIE ANNETTE FORD

Major - Math
 Activities - Cheerleader 3, 4; Homecoming
 Court 3; National Honor Society 4



DONNA DENISE GOODWIN

Major - Math, Home Economics
 Activities - Office Assistant 4
 Plans to attend Auburn University



JAMES ALFRED GRAY, JR.

Majors - History, Math, Science
 Activities - Basketball Team 3, 4; Cross
 Country 4; Drama Club 3, 4; National
 Honor Society 4; Lettermen's Club 4;
 Spanish Club 3, 4
 Plans to attend Memphis State University

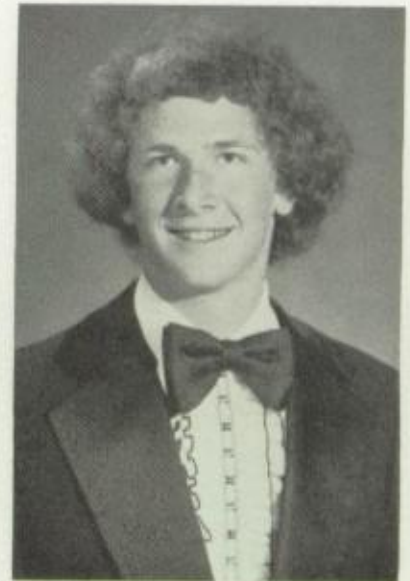


WILLIAM JOSEPH GRIFFITTS

Majors - History, Science

JOSEPH DOUGLAS GRIGGS

Major - Math
Activities - Basketball 3, 4; Cross Country
4; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Fellowship of
Christian Athletes
Plans to attend Memphis State University



CAROLYN MARIE HAGGARD

Majors - Math, Science
Activities - Drama Club 3, 4; Annual Staff
3; School Play 3; Homecoming Court 3, 4;
Varsity Cheerleader 4; Junior Class Officer
3; Senior Class Officer 4
Plans to attend UT at Martin

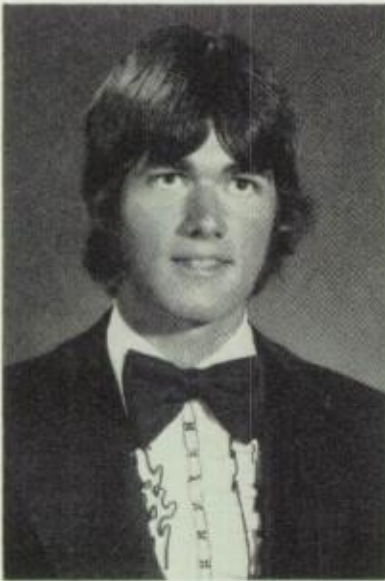
LETITIA LEIGH HERRING

Majors - Math, Business
Plans to attend Auburn University



JONATHAN LEE HODGE

Majors - History, Science
Activities - Drama Club 3, 4; Spanish Club
3; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Civitan Club 3;
Chess Club 3; Track 3, 4; School Drama
Production 3
Plans to attend Memphis State University



WARREN RANDEL HODGES

Majors - Science, Math
 Activities - Drama Club 3, 4; French Club 4
 Plans to attend the University of Tennessee
 at Knoxville

CHARLES MILTON HOSS

Major - Math
 Activities - Basketball B-Team 3
 Plans to Attend Christian Brothers College



CHARLES TERRELL JOHNSON

Majors - Math, History
 Activities - Baseball 3; Lettermen's Club 3,
 4
 Plans to attend Christian Brothers College

MARY MARGARET JOHNSON

Major - Business
 Activities - Drama Club 3, 4; National
 Honor Society 4; Office Assistant 4
 Plans to attend Memphis State University





STEPHEN PAUL LIBERTO

Major - Math
 Activities - Drama Club 4
 Plans to attend Memphis State University



CHARLES NEIL LOFTISS

Majors - History, Math
 Activities - Drama Club 3, 4; Annual Staff
 3, 4
 Plans to attend Memphis State University



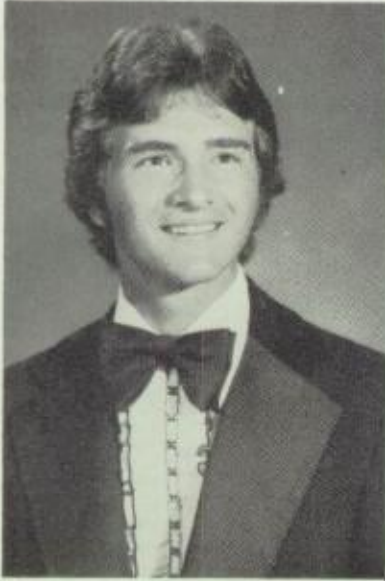
LUANNE RUTH MARTIN

Major - Music
 Activities - Junior Class Officer 3; Annual
 Staff 3, 4; National Honor Society 4; Miss
 Congeniality Towering Oaks Pageant 3
 Plans to attend UT at Martin



BILLIE MICHAEL McCORMICK

Majors - Math, Science
 Activities - National Honor Society 4;
 Senior Class Officer 4
 Plans to attend Christian Brothers College



DENNIS MITCHELL MELTON

Majors - Science, Math
 Activities - Annual Staff 3, 4; Drama Club
 3, 4; French Club 4; National Honor
 Society 4 - President
 Plans to attend UT at Knoxville



LISA LEE MILLS

Majors - Science, Math
 Activities - Annual Staff 3, 4, Editor;
 Drama Club 3; French Club 4
 Plans to attend Memphis State University

TERRY LYN MORRISON

Major - Math
 Activities - National Honor Society
 Plans to attend Christian Brothers College



KIM ALISON MOSTELLER

Majors - Business, Math
 Activities - Drill Team 4
 Plans to attend UT at Martin





PHYLLIS ELAINE MOTT

Major - Business
 Activities - Spanish Club 3
 Plans to attend Memphis State University



PAMELA ELIZABETH MULLIKIN

Major - Home Economics
 Activities - Varsity Basketball 3, 4
 Plans to attend Memphis State University



MARSHA ANN OLDHAM

Major - Band
 Activities - Chess Club 3; Drama Club 3
 Plans to attend Memphis State University



JANICE LYNN PARKER

Majors - General Business
 Activities - Annual Staff 3, 4; Class Officer
 3; Homecoming Court 3, 4; Drill Team 4;
 Alternate in Miss Towering Oaks Pageant
 3
 Plans to attend Memphis State University



MARTHA KAYE PARKS

Majors - Home Economics, Music
 Activities - Basketball 3, 4; Volleyball 3
 Plans to attend Memphis State University

JAMES DAVID PENNA

Major - Math
 Activities - Spanish Club 3, 4; Chess Club 3
 Plans to attend Memphis State University



JOAN DENISE PILKINTON

Major - Home Economics
 Activities - Annual Staff 3, 4; Senior Class
 Officer; Future Homemakers of America
 3, 4, President

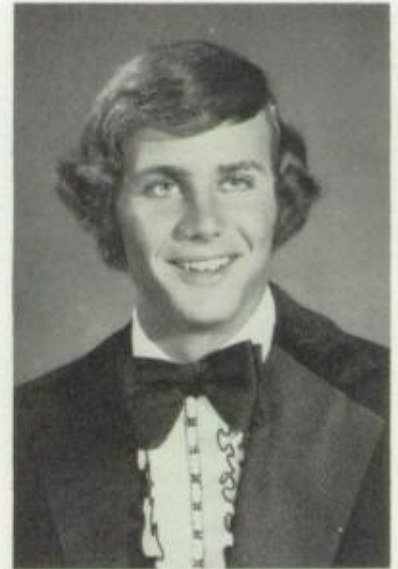
PHILLIP MICHAEL PROCTOR

Major - History
 Activities - Basketball 4; Track 4; Cross
 Country 4; Lettermen's Club 4; Fellowship
 of Christian Athletes 4
 Plans to attend Memphis State University



WILLIAM KINSEY RALSTON, JR.

Majors - Math, Industrial Arts
Activities - Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Football
3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Junior Class Officer;
All-star in Football
Plans to attend Christian Brothers College



MARCUS KEITH RIVALTO

Major - History
Activities - Baseball 2, 3; Football 2, 3;
Lettermen's Club
Plans to attend Christian Brothers College

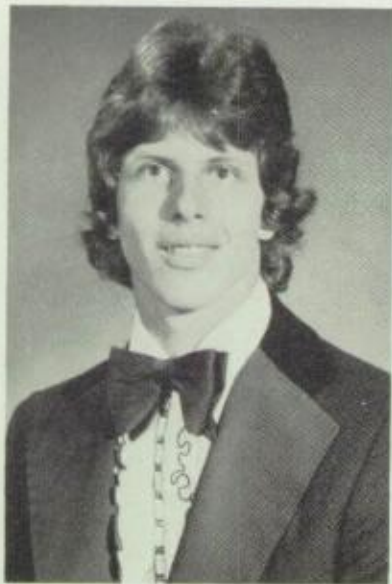


JOHN ROBERT SANDERS, JR.

Major - Science
Activities - Football 2, 3, 4; Lettermen's
Club 3, 4
Plans to attend Memphis State University



To Draw or Not to Draw . . .



MICHAEL FLOYD SIMCOX

Majors - Science, Math
 Activities - Basketball 3; Football 4;
 Lettermen's Club 4
 Plans to attend Memphis State University

RUTH ANN SNYDER

Majors - Home Economics, Math
 Activities - Drama Club 3
 Plans to attend State Technical Institute



ROBERT ADAIR TALLEY

Majors - Math, History, Foreign Languages
 Activities - Fellowship of Christian Athletes
 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; National
 Honor Society 4
 Plans to attend Christian Brothers College

DONNA ROBERTS TUCKER

Majors - Home Economics, Business
 Activities - Future Homemakers of America 3;
 Homecoming Court 4
 Plans to attend Memphis State University



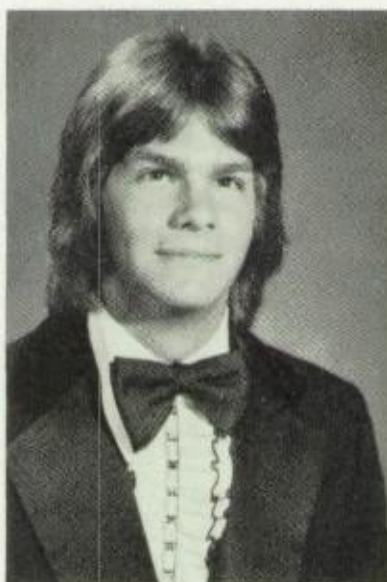


ROBERT HANCEL WILKINSON, JR.

Major - Science
 Activities - Drama Club 3, 4; Chess Club 3;
 School Drama Production 4
 Plans to attend Southwestern in Oklahoma

MICHAEL RAY WINN

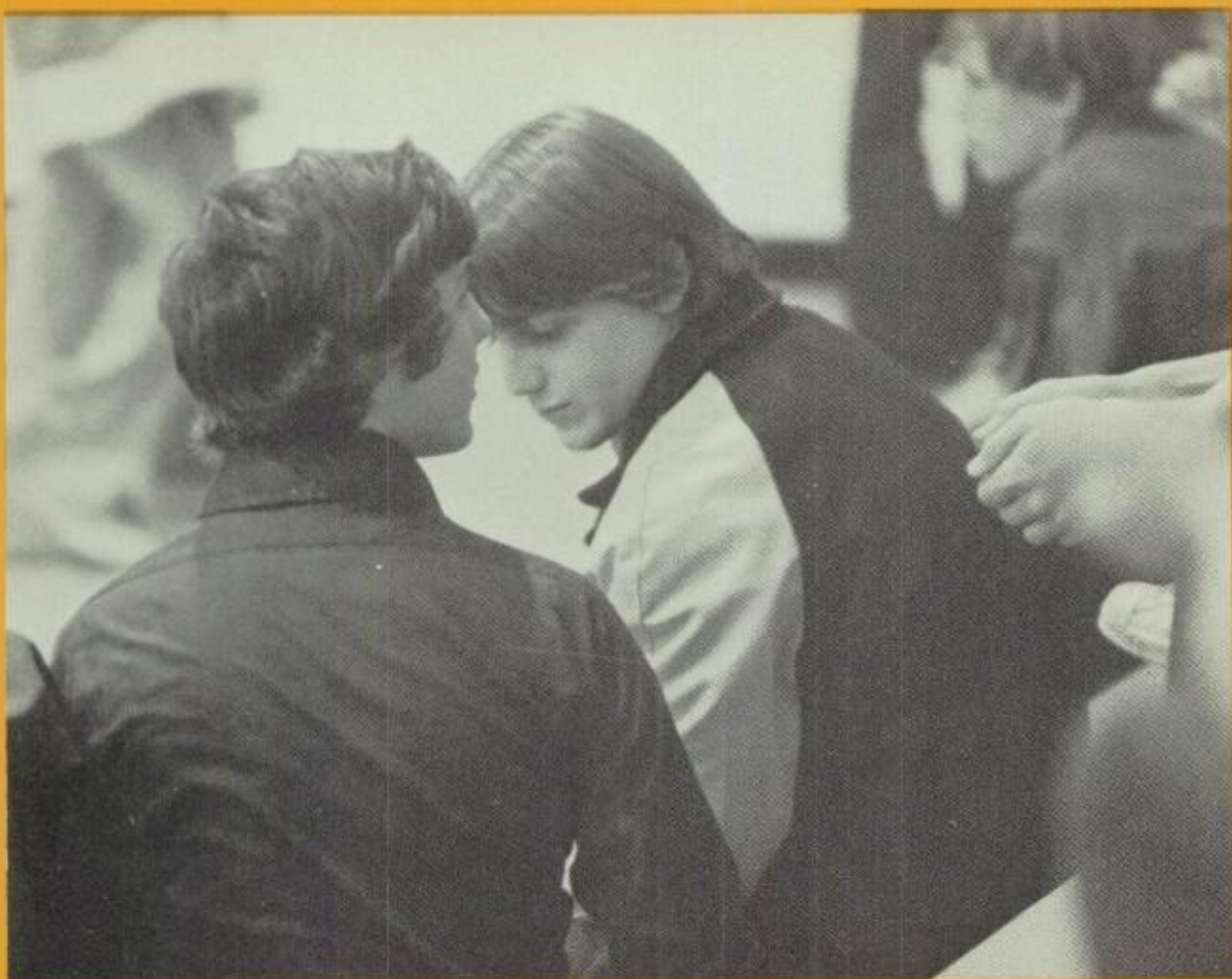
Majors - Math, Science
 Activities - Fellowship of Christian Athletes
 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Basketball 4;
 Senior Class President
 Plans to attend Oklahoma Baptist University



RUTH ELAINE WOOD

Major - Chorus
 Activities - Drama Club 3, 4; School Drama
 Production 3, 4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Chorus
 4
 Plans to attend Mid-South Bible College





"Critter and Jon Boy"



I kid you not!



"Owee"



"Don't take that picture!"



And you'll never guess what she said next

...

*Seniors,
and
Seniors,
Your*



Fun Time - Eat!!



What a sly little look.



Is it over?



And take that!

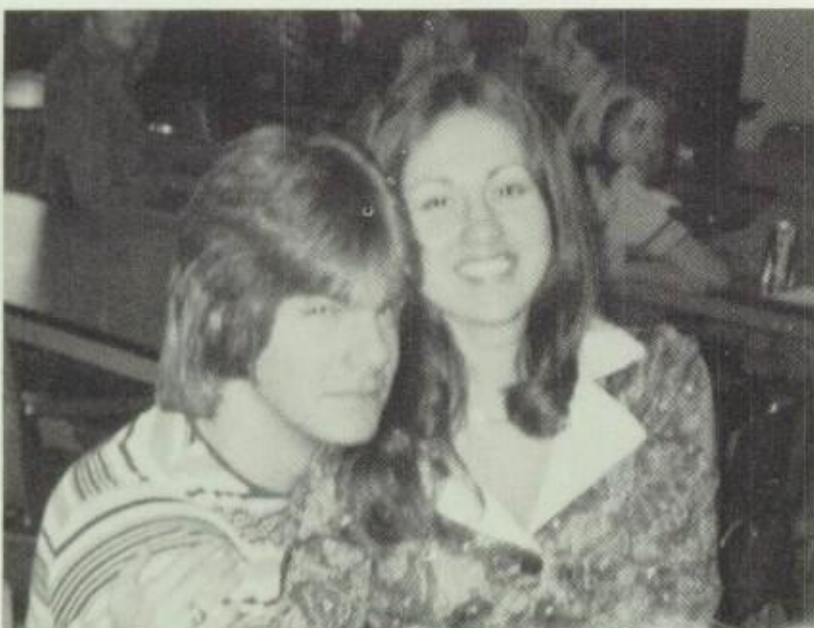
*Seniors everywhere
all the school did shout.
Seniors everywhere
finally getting out!*



Low, Lower, Lowest



LuAnne in one of her more gracious poses.



With a name like "Winn" how can you lose?



"BANANA pudding for lunch!"



Ooh! Ooh!

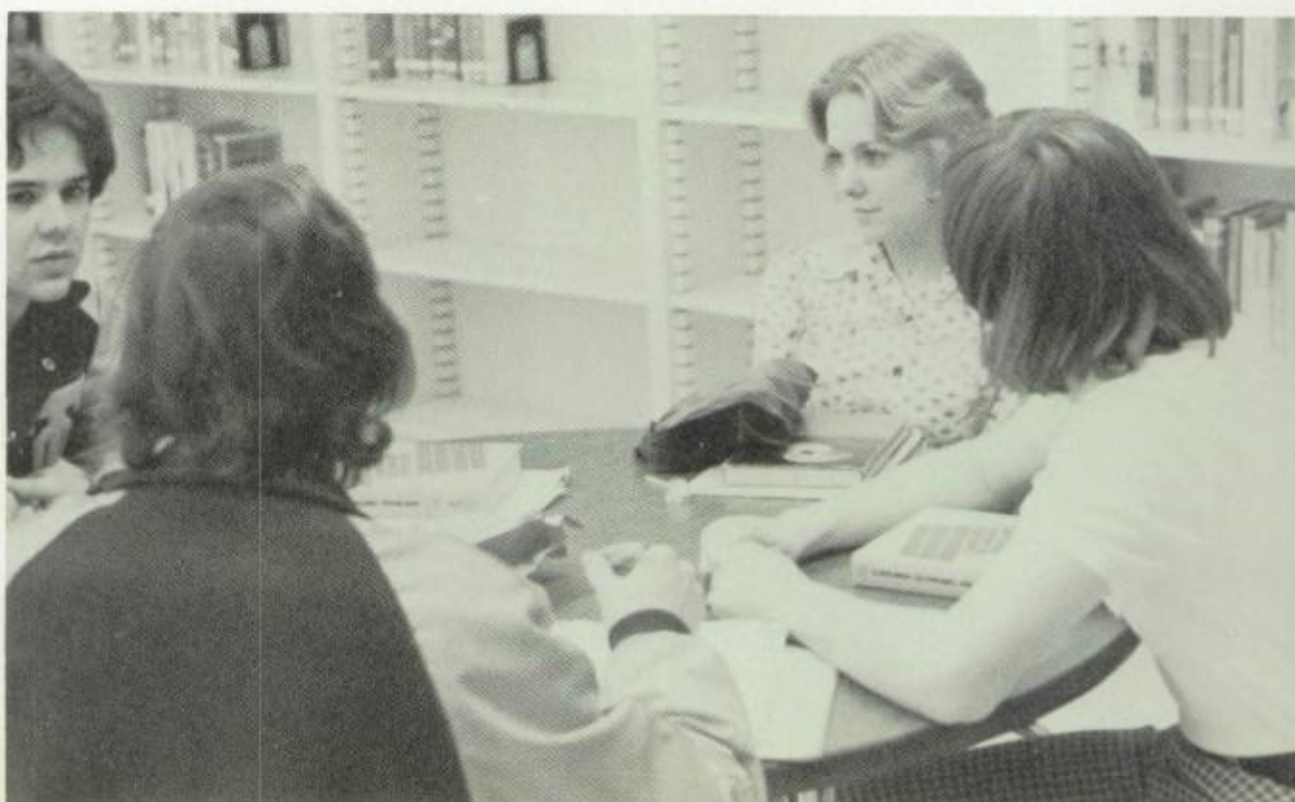


"Mike, taking a sideline view."



"Is that Lucinda with another guy?"

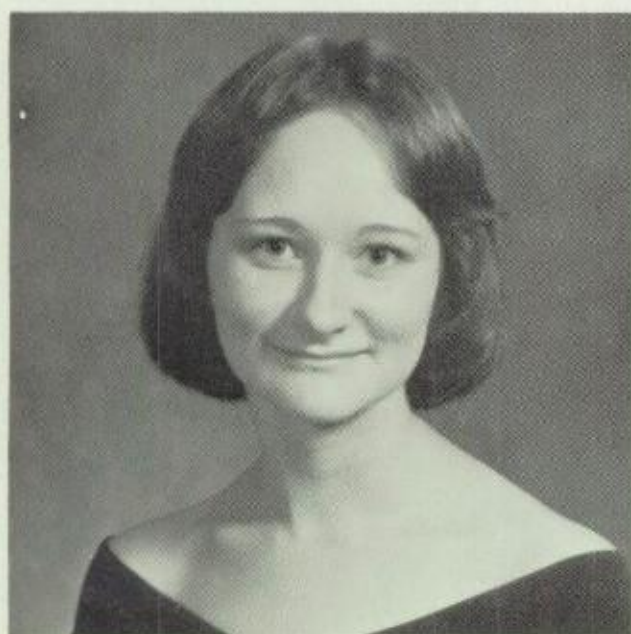
"Let's wait until the Midnight Special comes on to write Dr. Greene's essay."



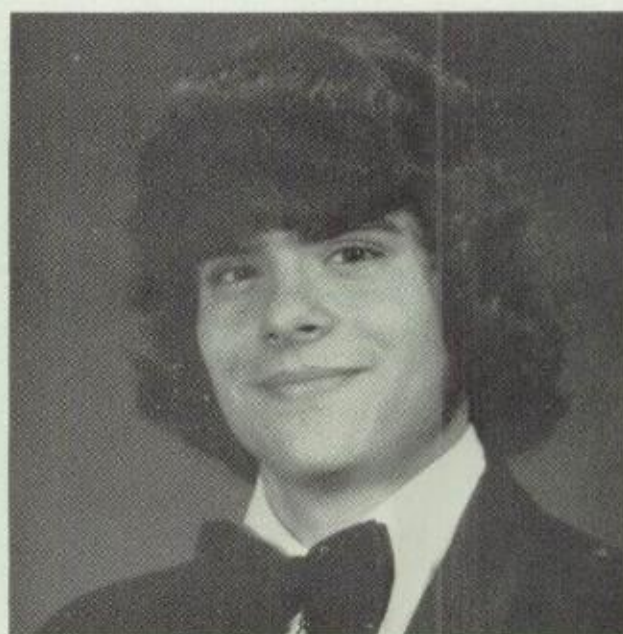


We, the Seniors of 1975, wish to express our appreciation to Mr. Tom Patterson, our senior sponsor.

Early Graduates



RUTH ANN BOWLIN
Club Activities - F.H.A. Vice-
President, National Honor Society
Majors - Home Ec., Business
College Choice - MSU



ROBERT KEVIN WILLIS
Club Activities - Chorus
Majors - Math, Science

NOT SHOWN: Leigh Bramlett



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Mike Winn, President; Joan Pilkinton, Secretary-Treasurer; Carol Haggard, Vice-President; Mike McCormick, Chaplain.

*Junior and Sophomore
Class Pictures*

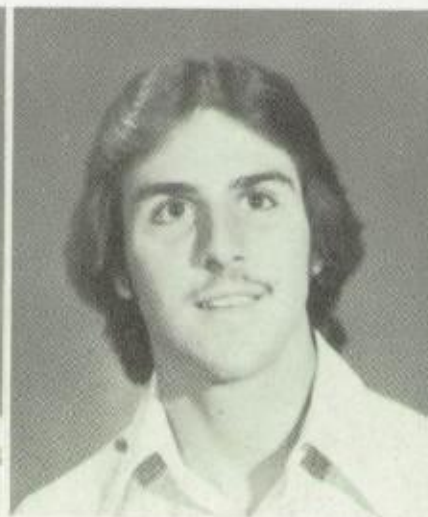
OK

Juniors



Chuck Acuff
Melanie Adams
Jeff Alexander

Steve Anderson
Glen Ayers
Henry Biggs



Ruth Bowlin
Vicki Butler
Chris Carpenter

Laurie Carter
Jan Chandler
Joe Clifford

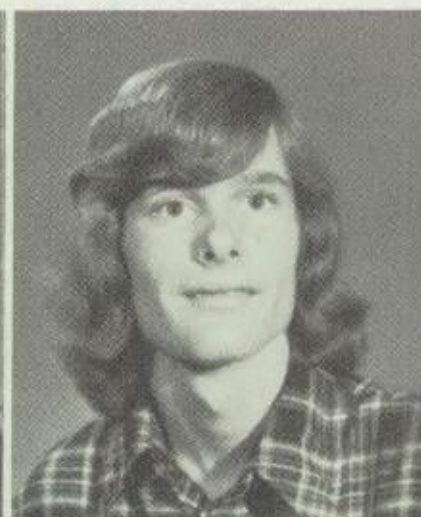


Jim Cole
Jan Conaster
Amy Crum

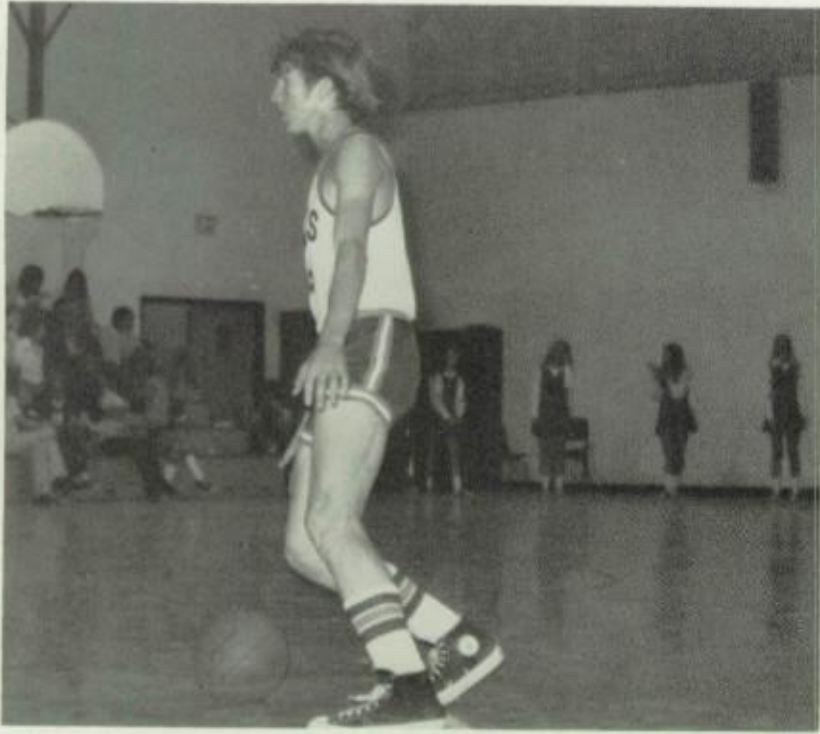


Pam Culley
Chuck Denegri
Christy Diehl

Kim Dohogne
Scott Eason
Kim Ellingburg



Karen Emens
Debbie Ferguson
Robert Ford



"But coach, its not my turn to pick up the ball!!!"



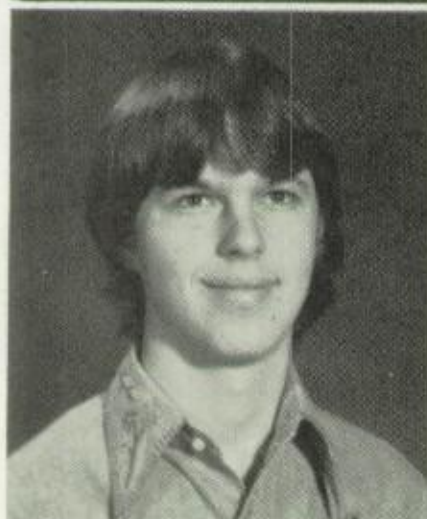
Hit it again, Julianne!!

Juniors Keep Busy!!

Terri Frisby
Jerry Fudge
Lin Fulcher



Rick Funderburk
Beth Gaglio
Kathy Griffin



Jim Haggard
John Henderson
Leah Hicks



High Voltage!



Suzy Hodge
Sandra Hulsey

Debra Jackson
Doug Jackson
Jack Jackson



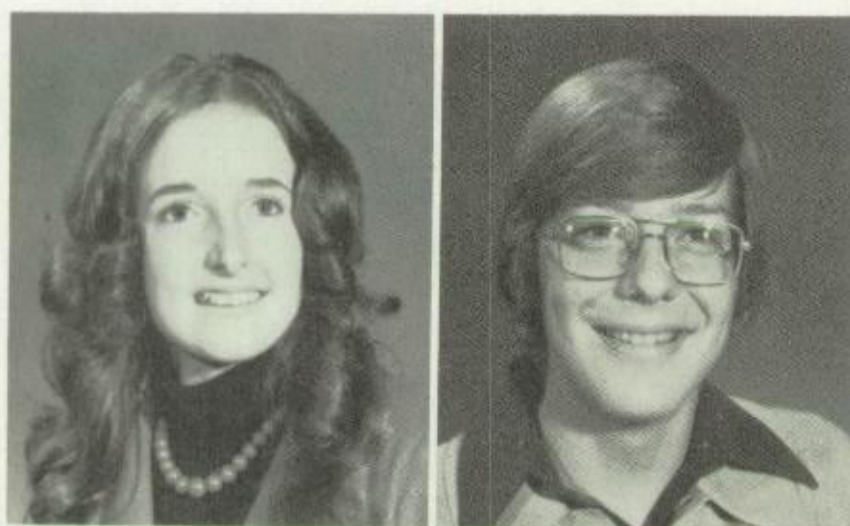
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Curt Ladd
Laurie Linnert



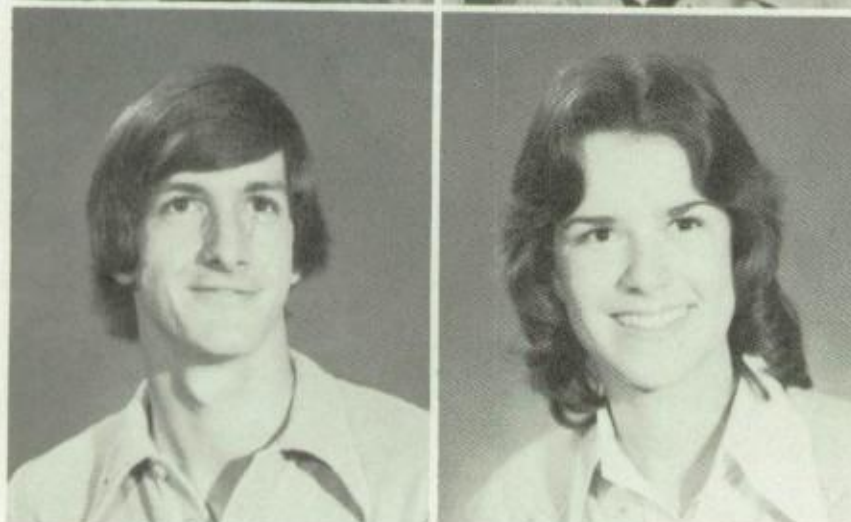
*Spirit
Is
Everywhere*



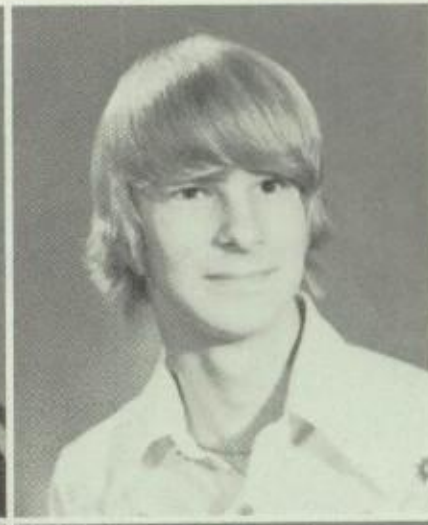
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Jayne Martin



Cathy May
Steve May



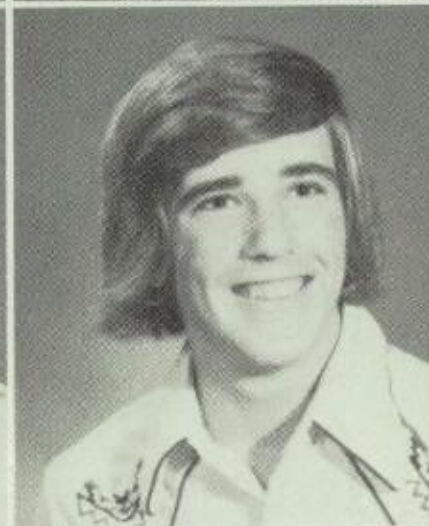
John Mayberry
Pam McKellar



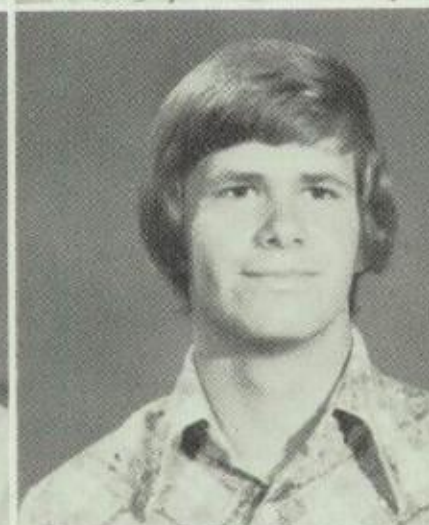
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Linda Miller
Julie Morie
Randy Nance



Ginger Oyler
Bob Payne
Cindy Payne
Cindy Perrin



Linda Phillips
Bobby Pirani
Mark Poole
Ricky Porter



Pat Proctor
Dawn Ragan
Steve Rainey
Jeanne Ramsey



Robin Randolph
Pam Robison
Janice Rogers
Eugene Sexton



"Olivia Newton Jane"



"Play On"



"I love you this Much"

Greg Shirey



Bruce Smith



Dale Smith
Ralph Smith



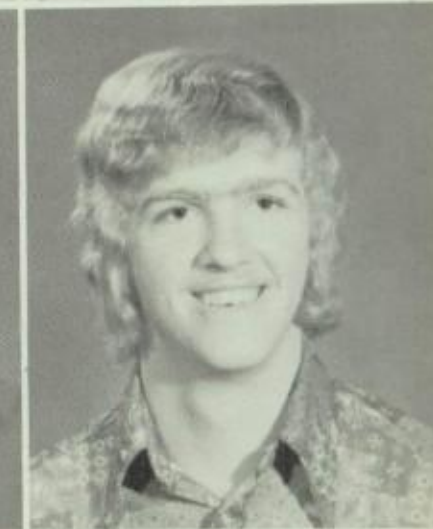
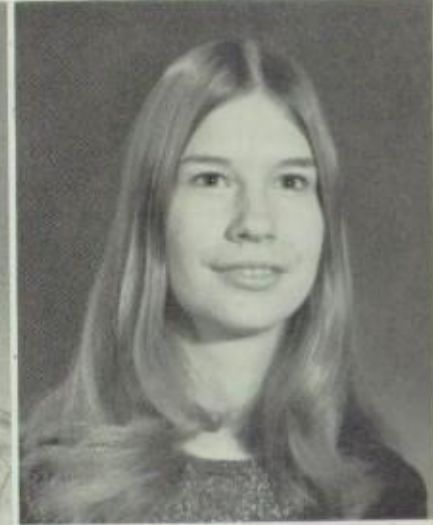
Vicki Smith
Lee Spiller

Just like me they want to be close to you!!

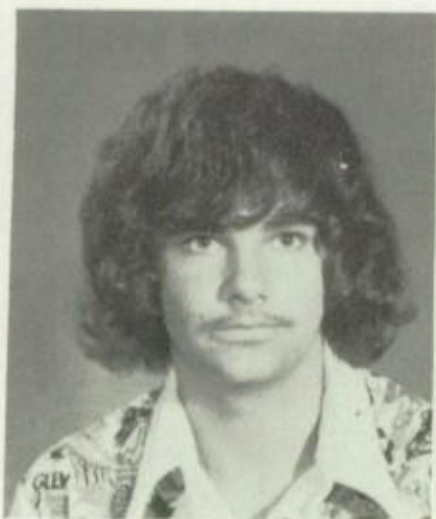


Sue Summers
Julianne Thomas

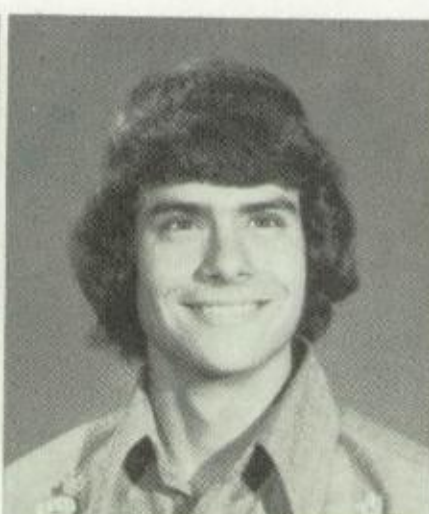
Well, son, so what if he's 6 foot 9, 480 pounds . . . he's only a sophomore!!



Tommy Turpin
Mike Watkins



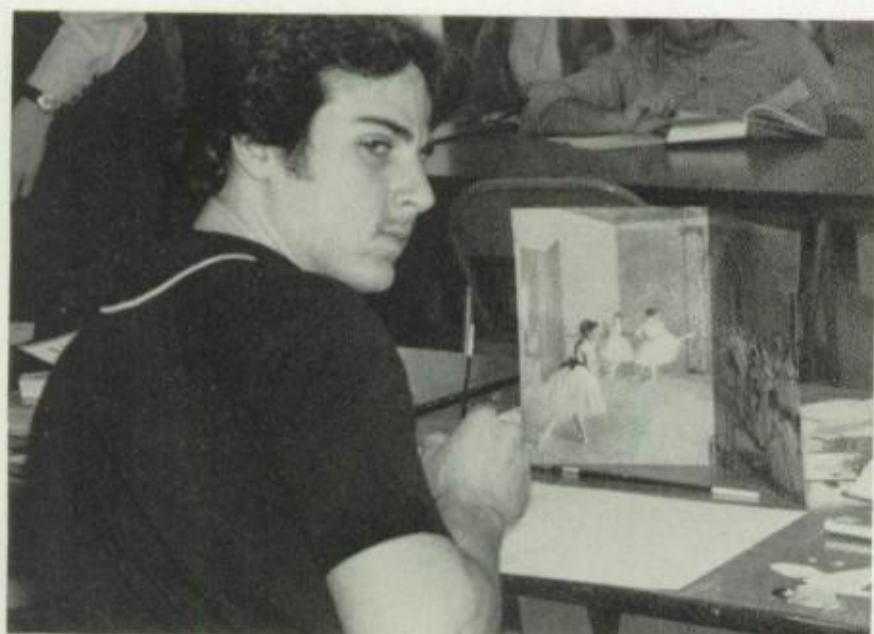
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Becky Wheeler



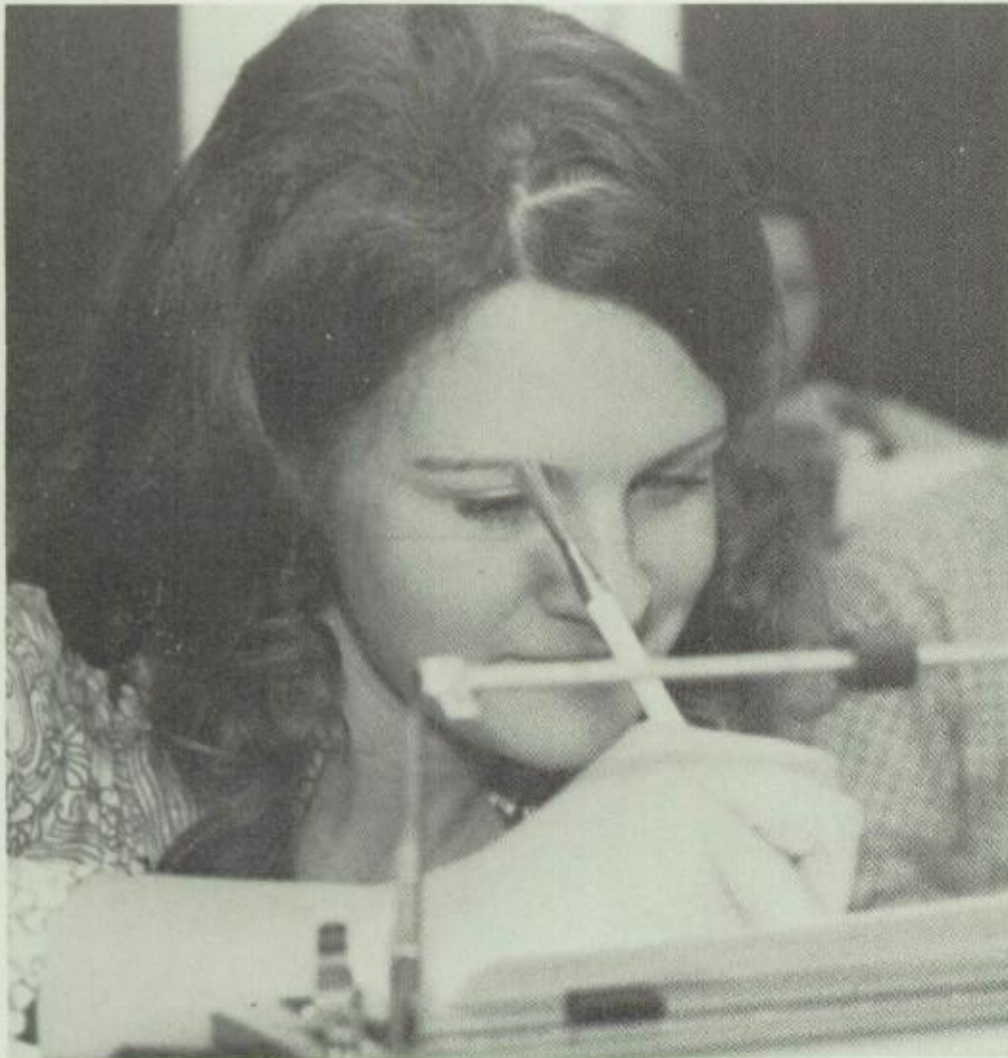
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Kevin Willis



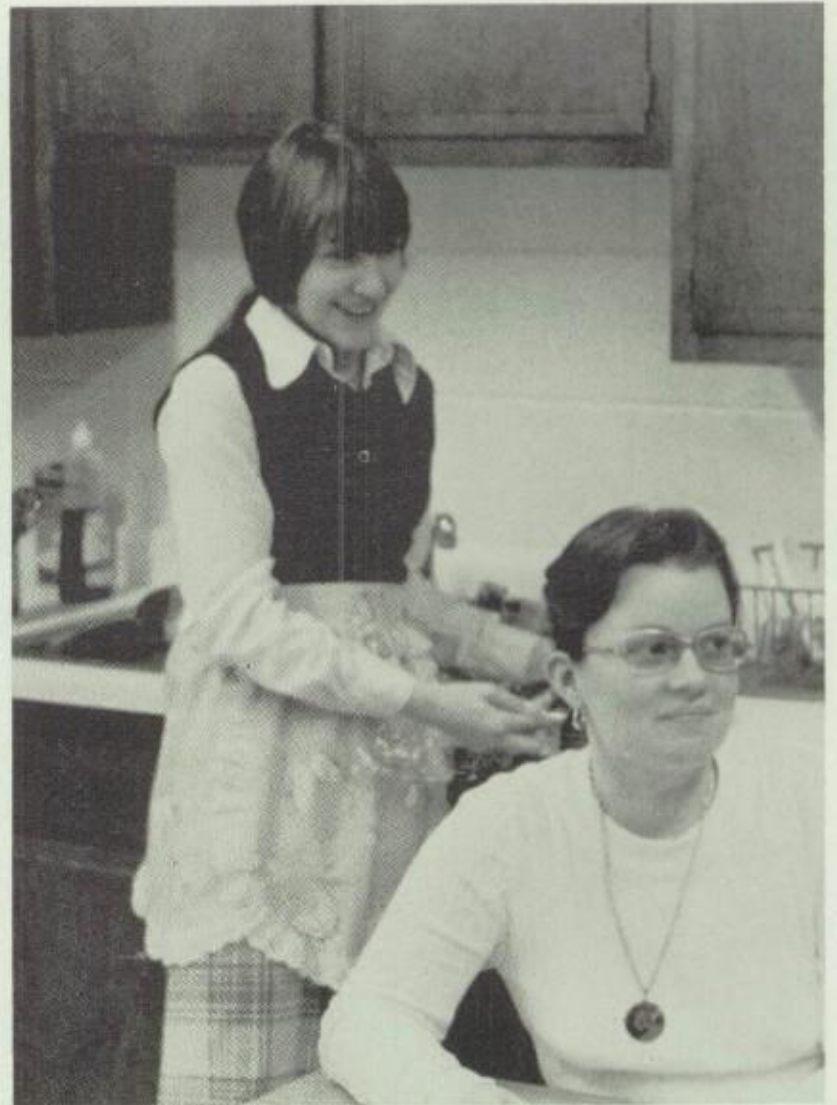
Lisa Wood



"Don't talk about my painting! Art is
my favorite subject."



B.O., doesn't like errors!



Betty Crocker, Neuen



"Priceless Proctor"



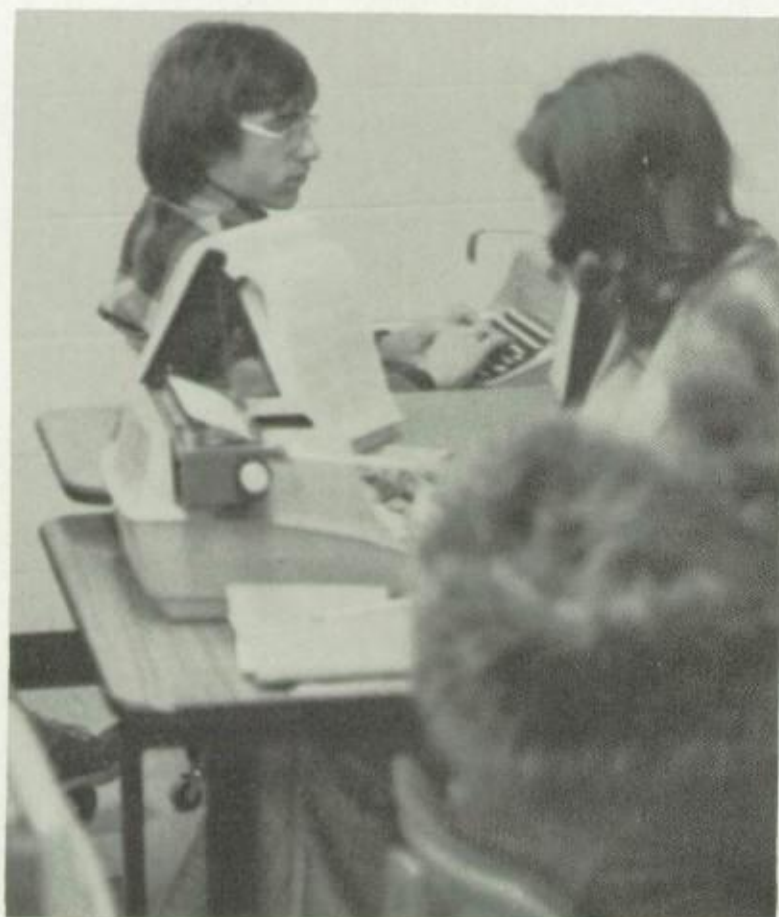
Bottoms Ups!!!



Is it time to wake up and leave!



Primitive, but Cute!!!



Type, Type, Type, Type, Type,
 Type, Type, Type, Type, Type,
 Type, Type, Type, Type, Type,
 Type, Type, Type, Type, Type,
 Type, Type, Type, Type, Type,
 Type, Type, Type,
 Ding!!!



What's a TERM PAPER?!



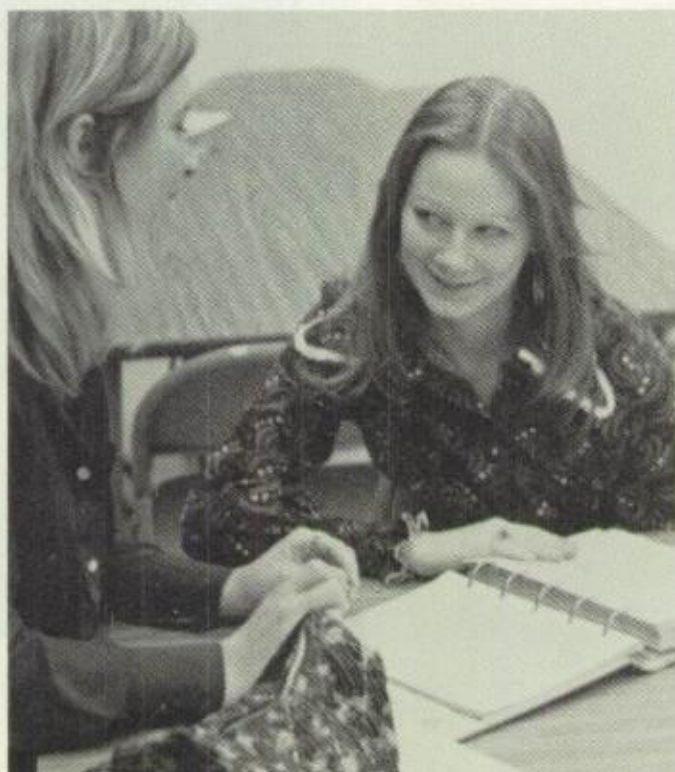
Busy, Busy, Why are YOU late!



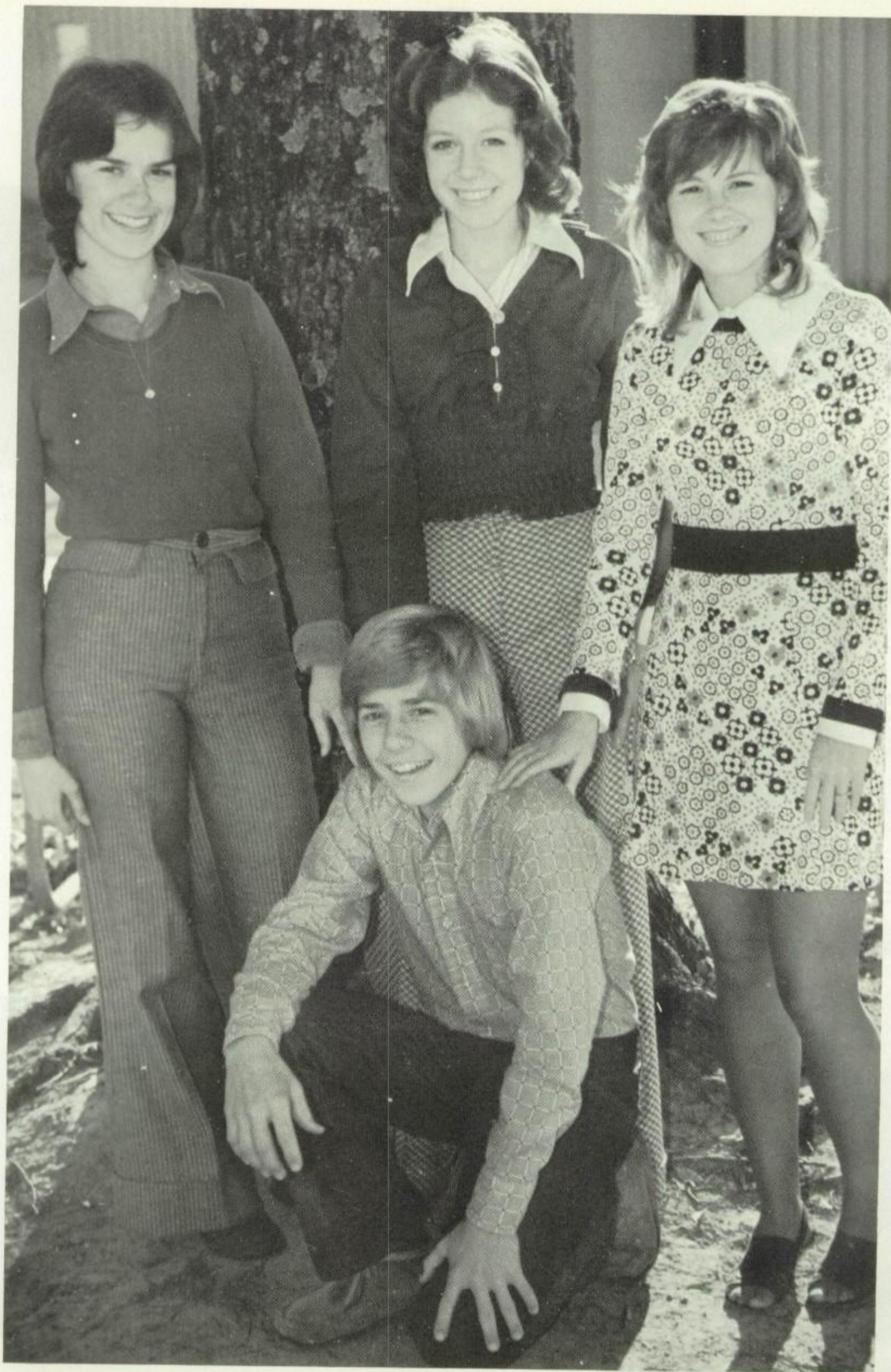
In a quiet moment,
Mark thinks.



Can you
believe
Rings?!



"It is not enough to be busy
. . . the question is: What are
we busy about?"
Thoreau



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS: President - Pam McKellar; Vice-President - Kathy Griffin; Secretary - Terri Frisby; Chaplain - Robert Ford.

Sophomores



Suzanne Adams
Jay Adkins
Phil Alexander
Betty Bell



Connie Boldreghini
Johnny Bonds
Paula Bradshaw
Kim Brooks



Dennis Campbell
Susan Carter
Ty Carter
Rita Chenault



Steve Childs
Jeff Christiansen
Marilyn Clark
Richard Cooksey



Peter Cotros
Jimmy Coulter
Bubba Cox
Randy Culbreath

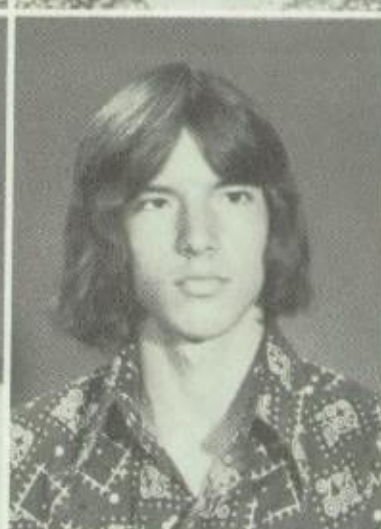
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Debbie Daniel
Ward Deaton
Angie Deripaska



Diane Edwards
Barbara Emens
Denise Essary
Susan Eubanks



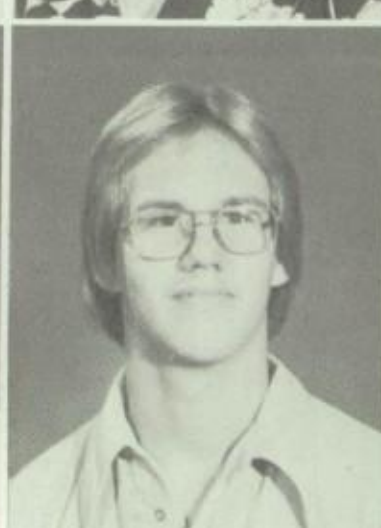
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Becky Ford
William Ford
Norma Forrester



Peter Francis
Doug Gable
Keith Gillespie
Amy Graham



Andy Graves
Scott Gray
Keith Green
Mitch Greer





Tim Griffin
Lisa Gryder
Mike Hall



Norman Hall
Paula Hall
Warren Hampton



Jana Harris
Ricky Harris

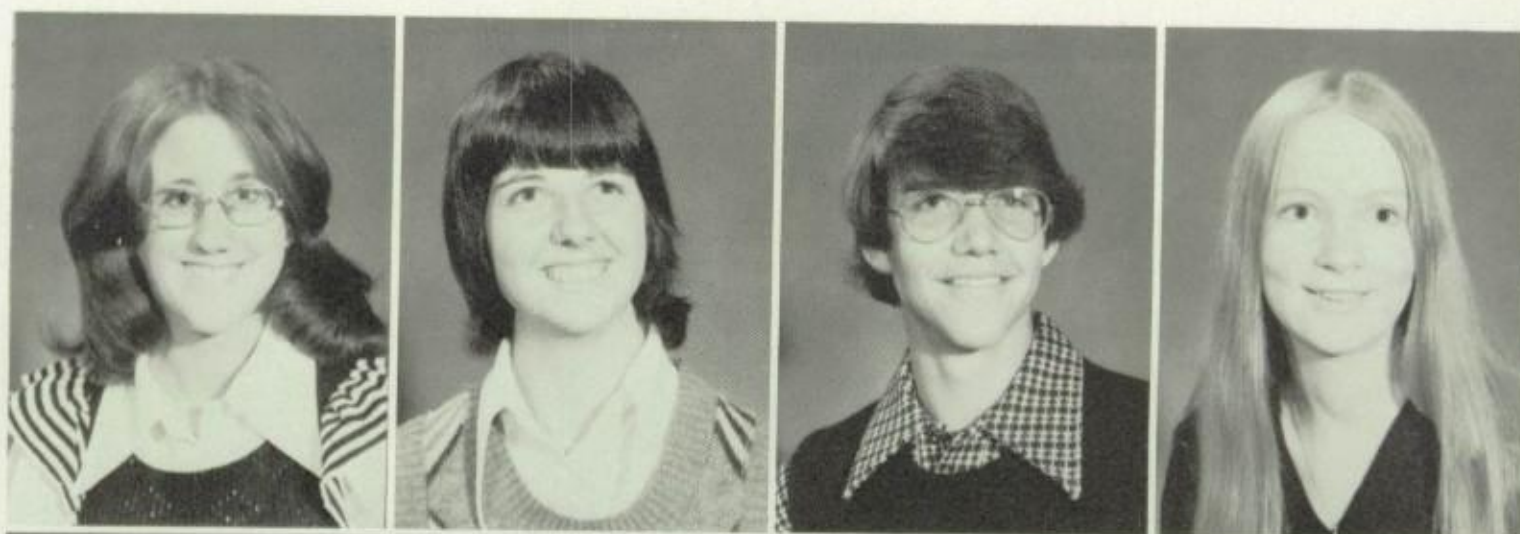


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Mike Heflin

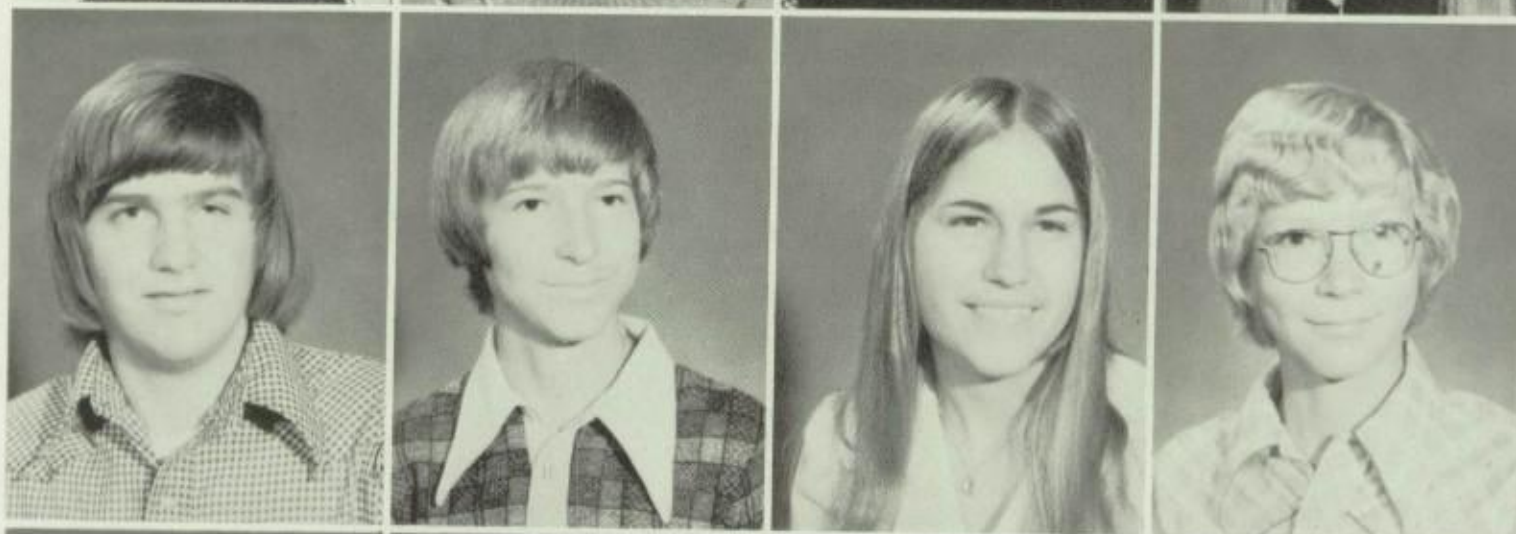


That cool calm look of success.

Tricia Hemphill
Kathy Henderson
David Herring
Deborah Hicks



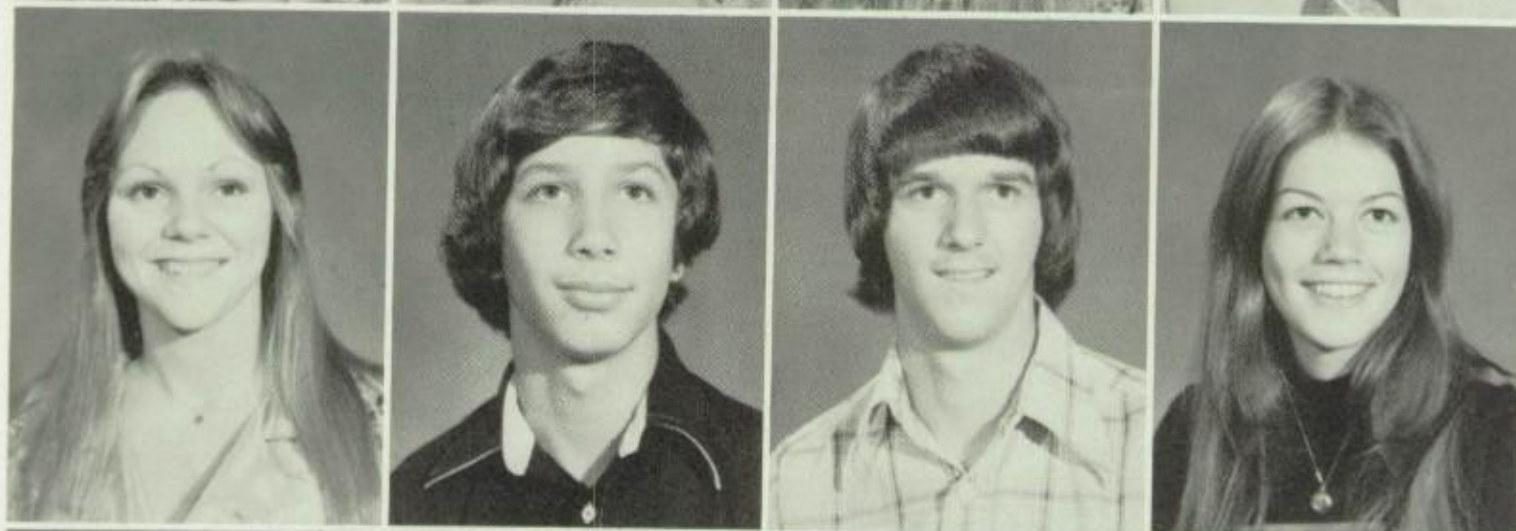
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Dale Irby
Dianne Jackson
Eric James



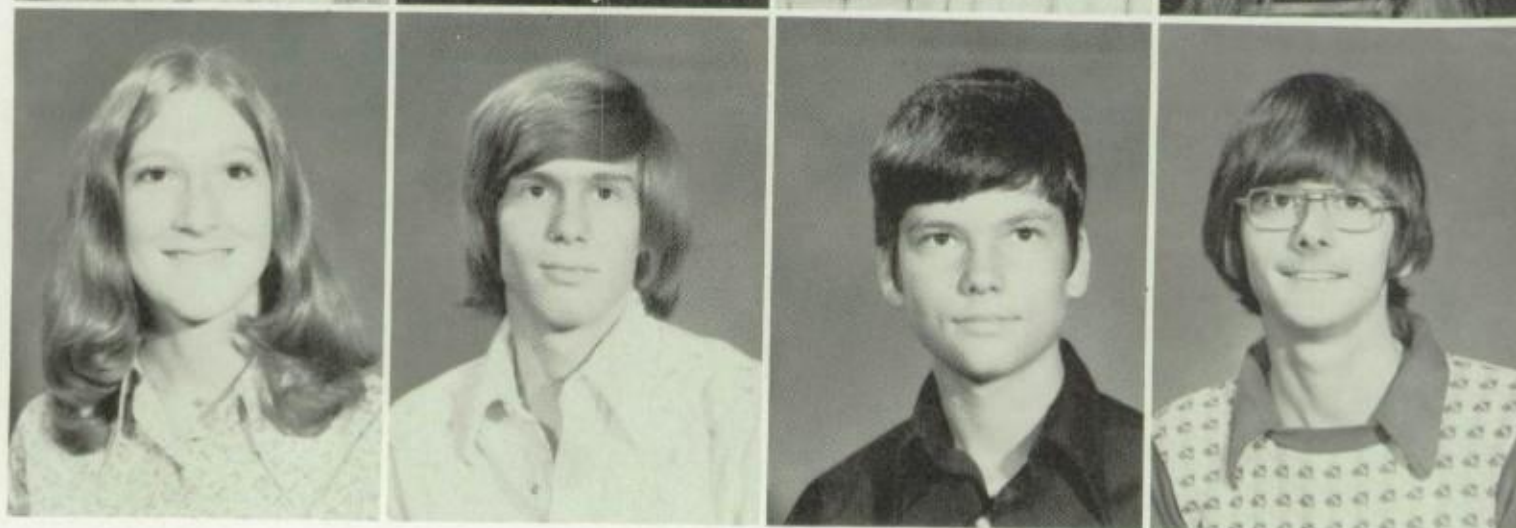
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Joe Jenson
Kathy Johnson
Randy Johnson



Karen Joslin
Kevin Joyner
Jim Kelly
Dana King

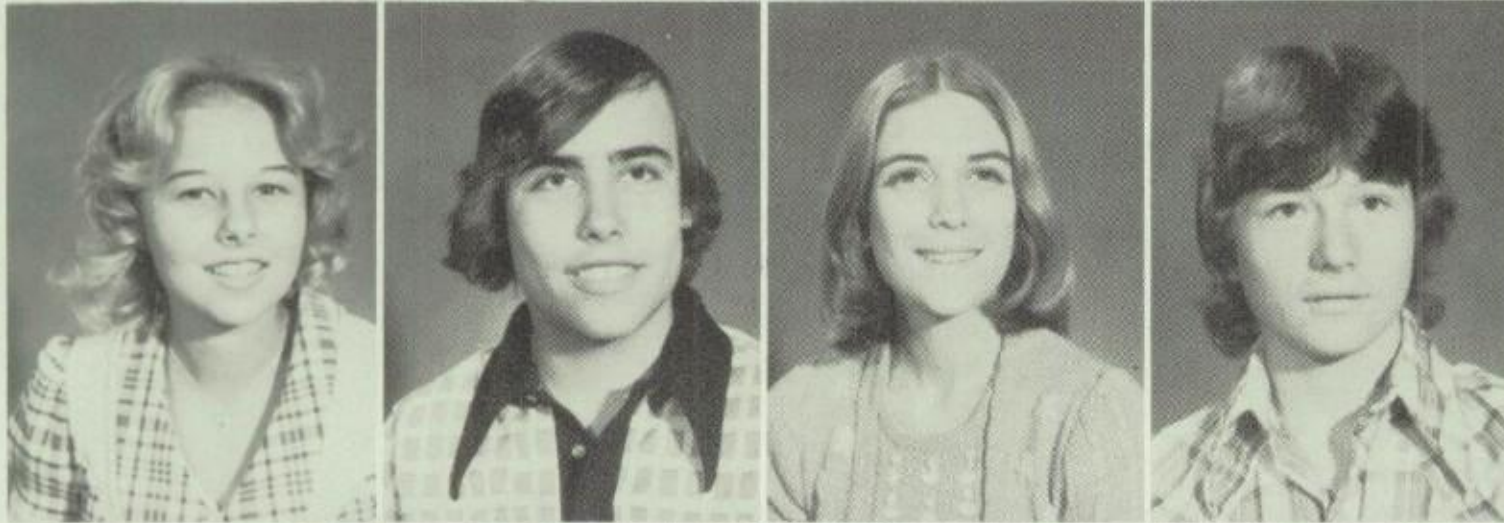


Kristi Klippel
Robert Krell
Mark Lagrone
Steve Lamberth

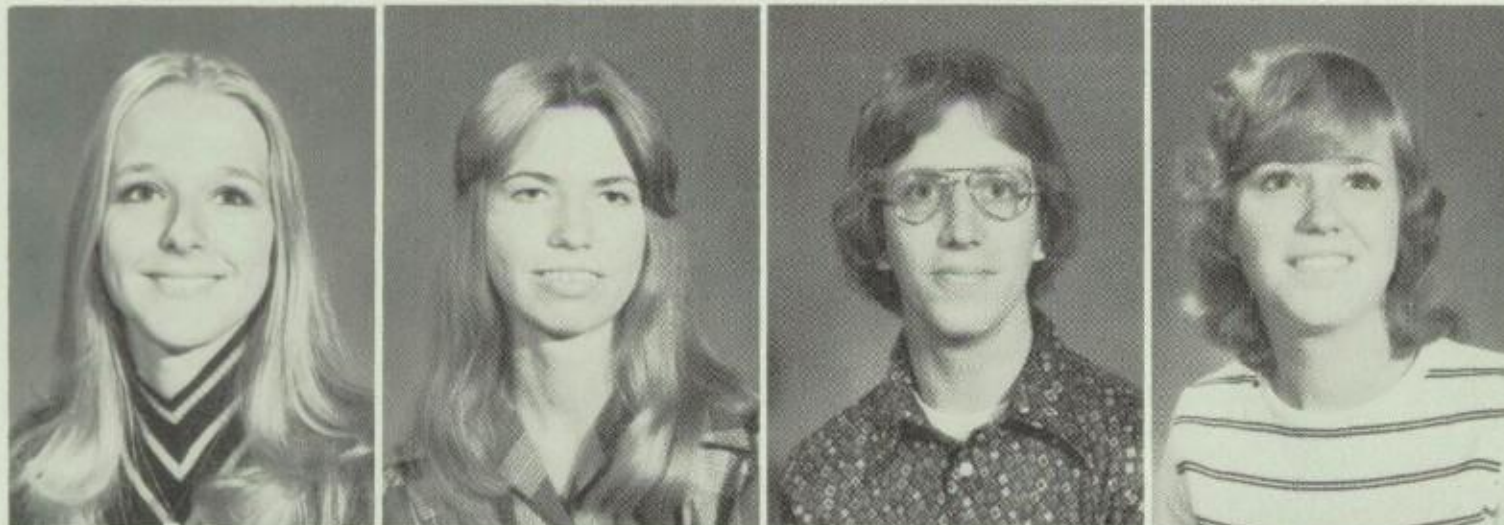




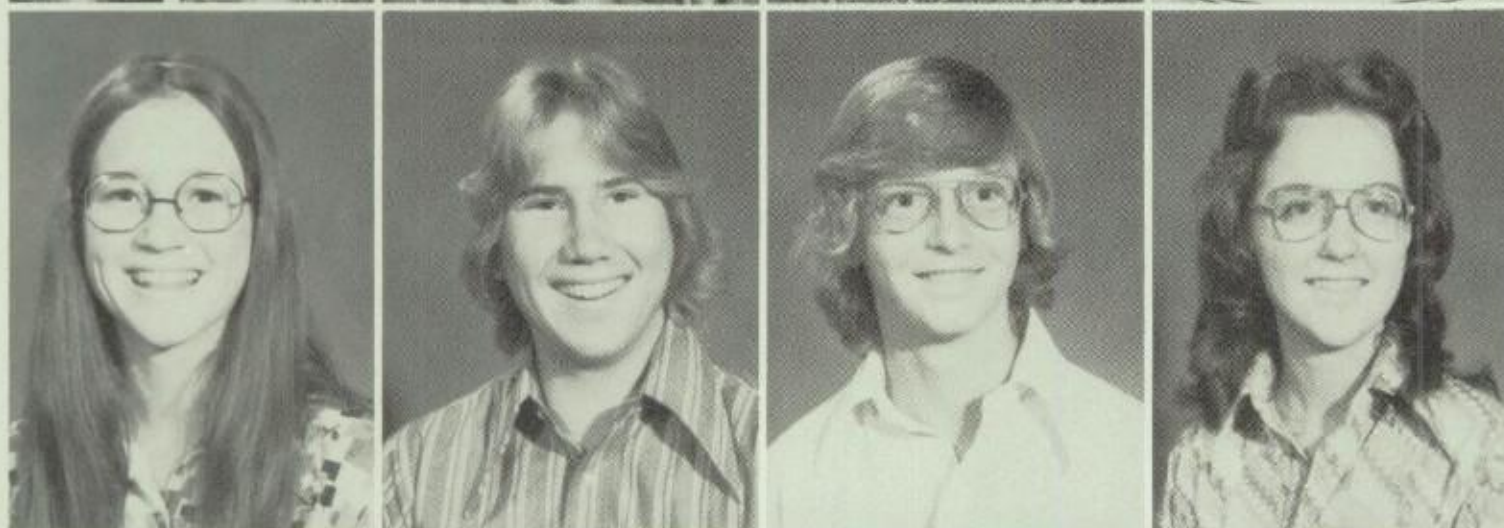
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Larry Liberto
Chuck Lindsey
Cheryl Luna



Valorie Lusby
Tom Majors
Leigh Ann Martin
Gregg Melton



Tami Montgomery
Gabriele Moore
Wayne Moore
Bobbie Ann Morie



Fran McAlpin
Tim McClelland
Jack McCormick
Karen McWilliams



Duane Neldon
Jan Norrell
Debra Parchman
Tommy Pearson



I think I can . . .
I think I can . . .



Ain't they cute . . .?!!

David Perkins
Hal Perry



David Pike
Mark Pilkinton



Greg Porter
Peri Proctor

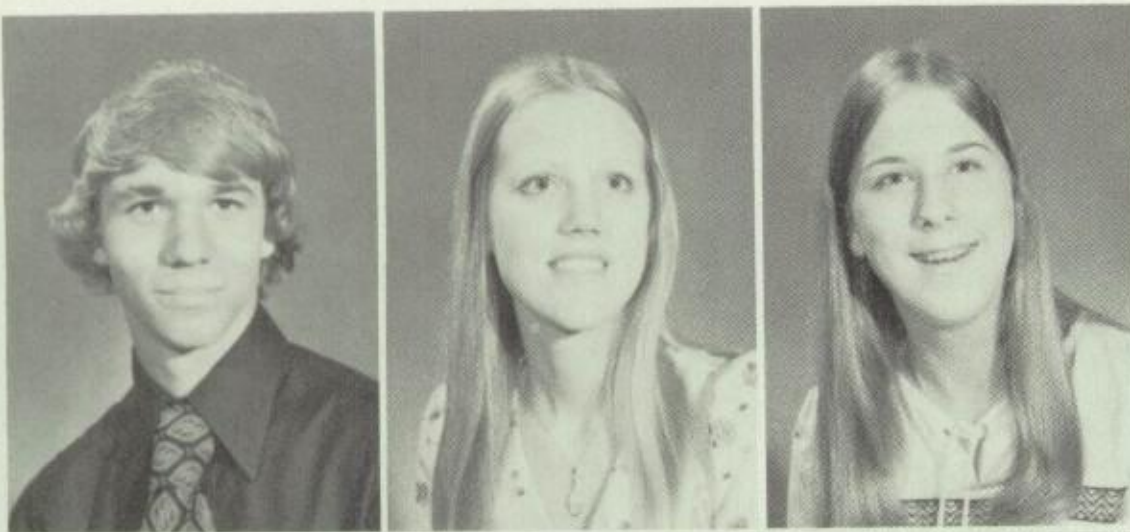


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Sheryl Rast



Mike Richards
Keith Riggins





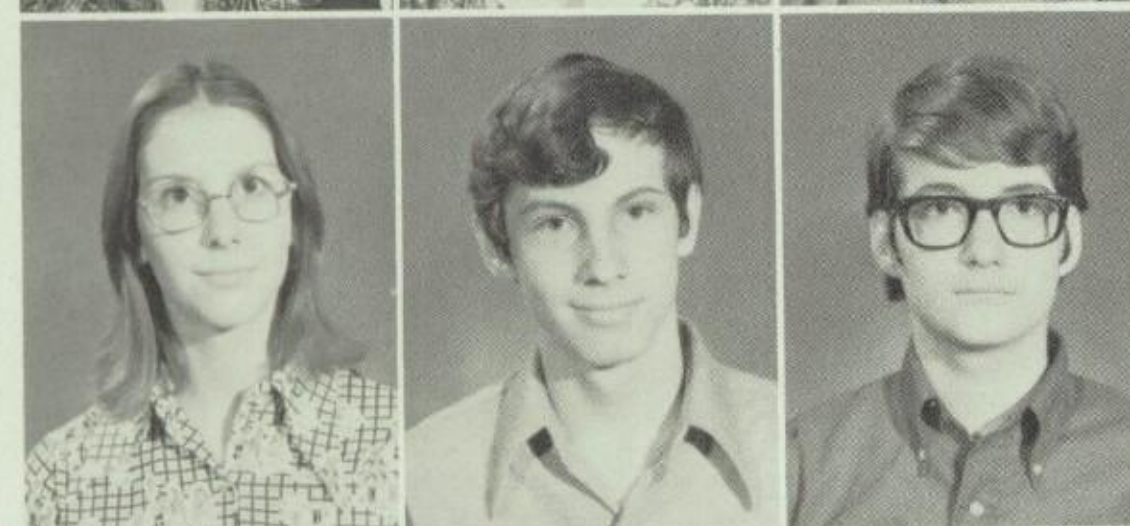
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Candi Roemer
Cris Rogers



Gina Rowland
Tim Rutherford
Jane Sedberry



Karen Starnes
Melissa Taylor
Pam Taylor



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Rob Thornton



Pam Walls
Kathy Walton
Shelly Weeks

Danita West



Ruby Williams



Ginger White



Laura Willis



Glenn White



Beth Williams

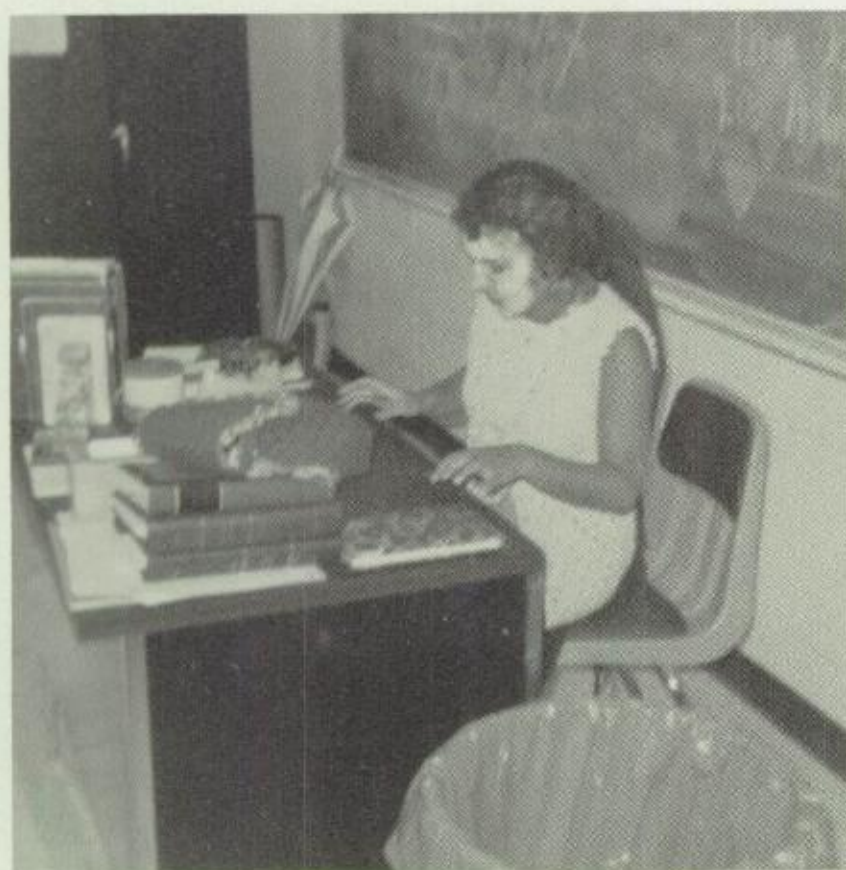


Pam Williams





A wrong way "Easy Rider"



Isn't she divine?!



Friends, Romans,
Countrymen -
Look at the Cam-
era!



Sometimes it's hard to smile -
and sometimes it's hard to stop
laughing.



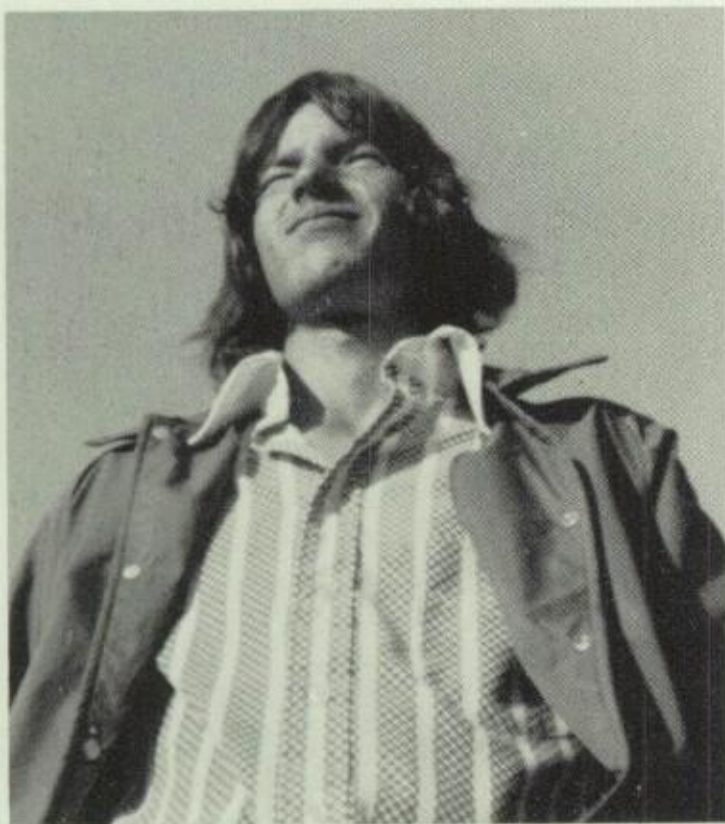
The Three Musketeers!



Sure, I can read THE HOUSE OF SEVEN GABLES during lunch!

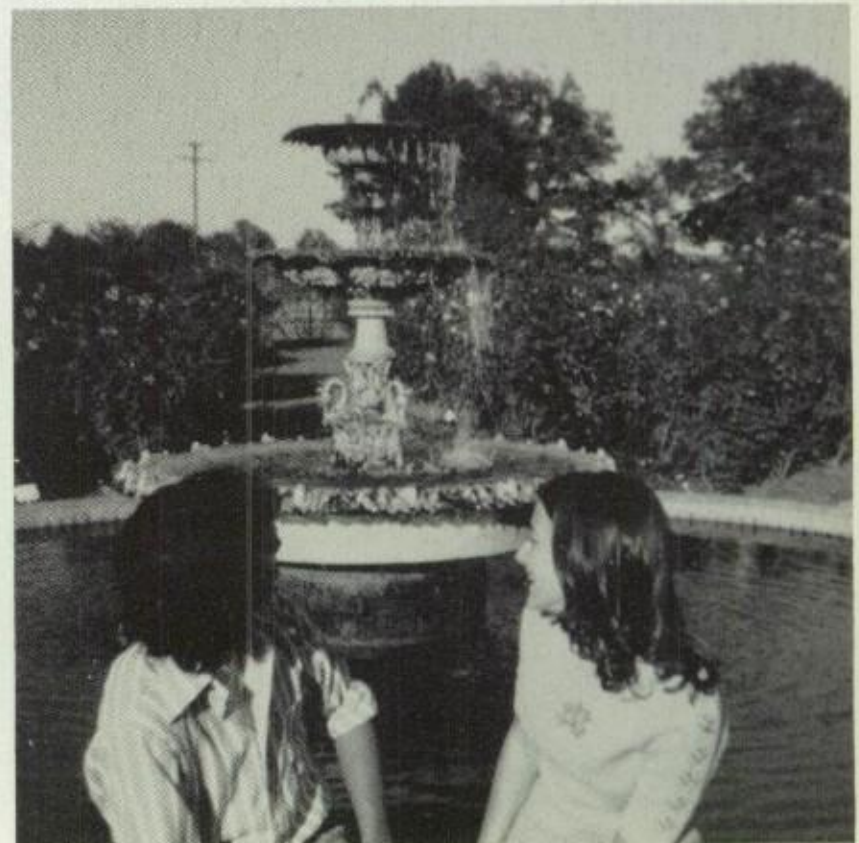


The Battle!

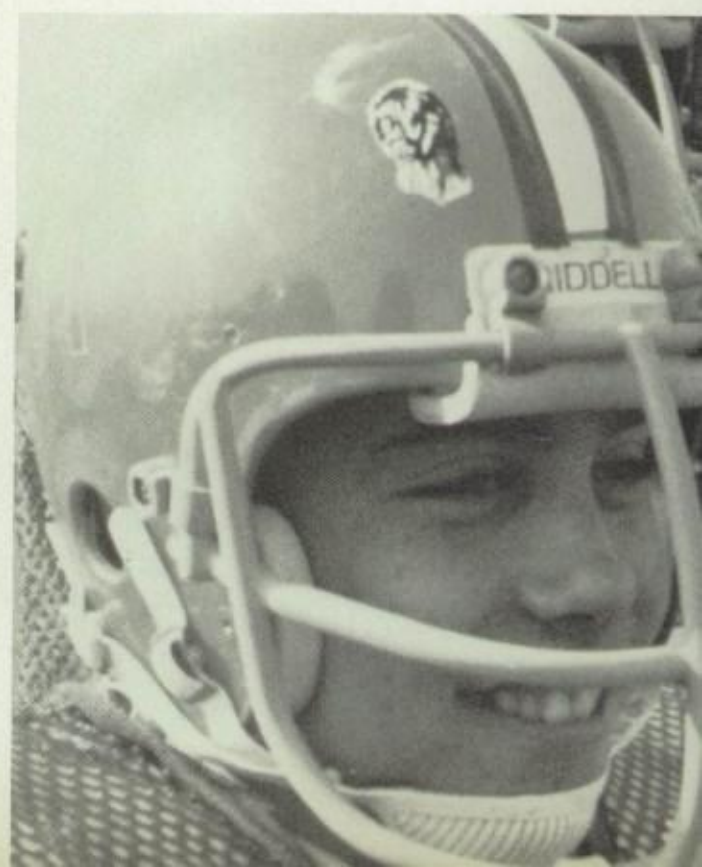


Standing Tall

Somebody left the water running!



The 10th grade class of 1975 expresses their appreciation to Fred Yancey, this year's class sponsor.



*Seventh, Eighth, and Ninth Grade
Class Pictures*



Ninth Grade

Cindy Axley
Rex Barton
Sally Blalock
Christy Bradley



Steve Branim
Janet Brannon
Patti Brother
David Chandler



Diane Chandler
Paul Cizek
Blaine Coleman
David Cooper



Totsy Culbreath
Mike Davis
Debbie Day
Karen Denegri



Mark Duncan
Jimmy Emens
Chris Erwin
Charlene Forbes

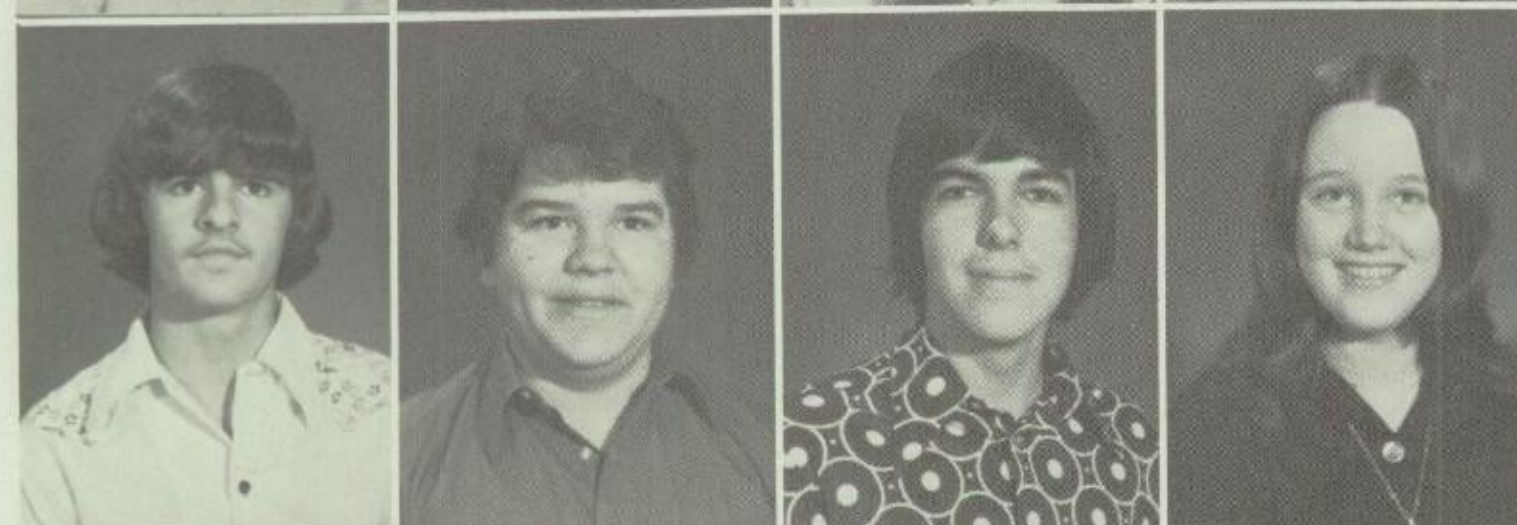




Caryn Gable
David Garner
Don Garner
Gigi Goldsmith



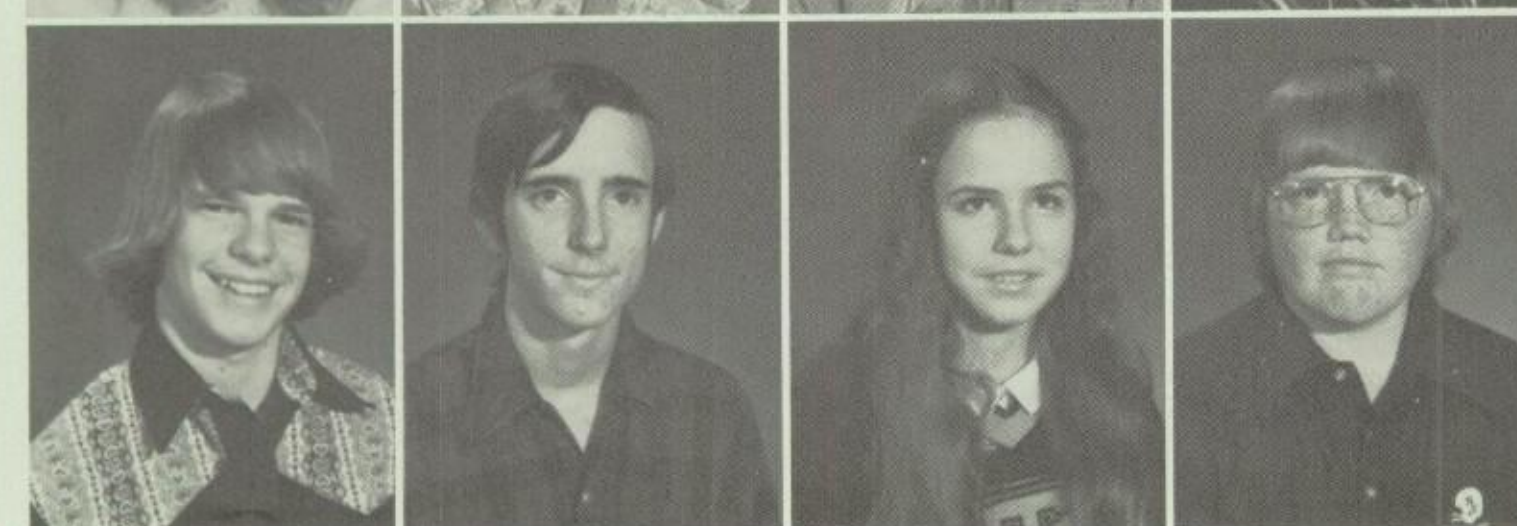
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Mike Goza
Debbie Green
Hal Griggs



Jim Hale
Greg Hamilton
Chris Henderson
Kim Hicks



Cheryl Holley
John Holley
Trevor Howard
Susan Hulsey



Bill Hunter
Woody Husted
Tina Ingram
Joey Jackson

Tiffany Jenkins
Dennis Johnson
Ronnie Johnson
Jimmy Jolly



Donna Jones
Jeff Krag
Randy Kruger
Greg Lyles



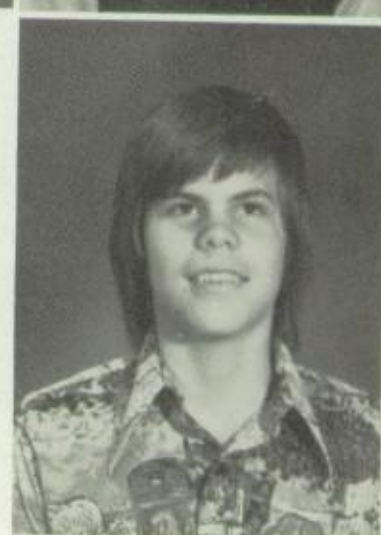
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Kenny McHaney
Kelli McIlwain
Tammy Manners



Elizabeth Merrick
Lee Miller



Ira Moss



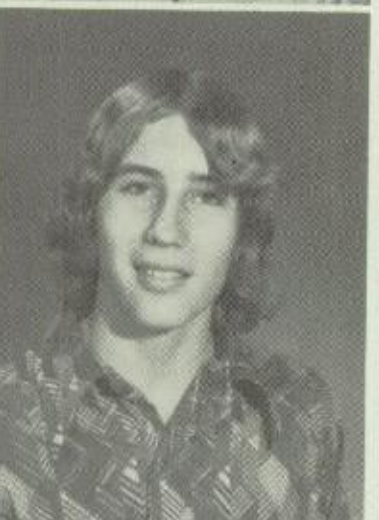
It's my ball - you can't have it!



Cheryl Neely
Chris Obert
Mike Orman
Tammy Owens



Billy Oyler
James Phillips



Tracy Price
Whit Pulliam

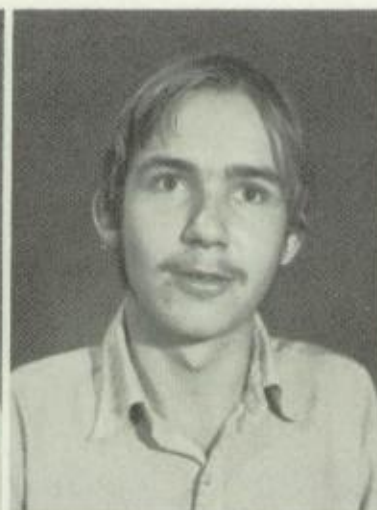


Homecoming Beauties!



Mike Raley
Linda Reid
Cynthia Rogers
Kelly Romig

Alicia Russell
Julie Sciani



Joey Sc
Shirley
Shepl

Stacy Siko
Brad Smith



Gina Spinoza

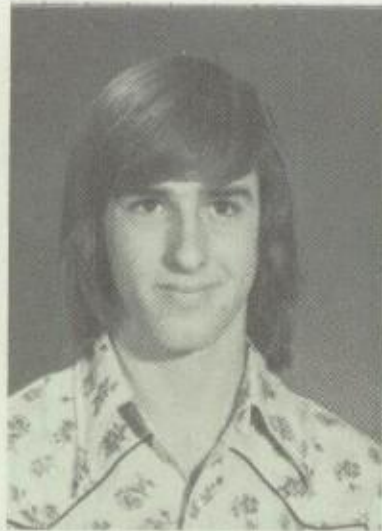
Gayle Stanford



Linda Stevens



Robin Stevens



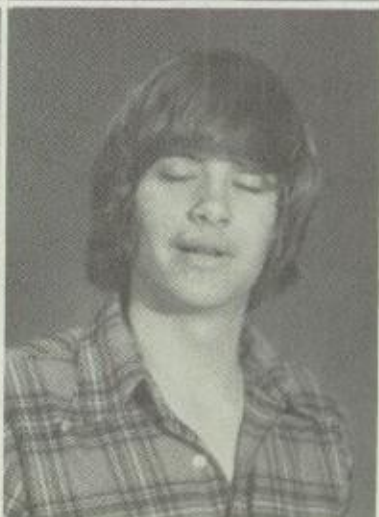
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Diane Swindle
Greg Taylor



Chip Tyer
Kim Varnado
Shelia Watkins



Beth Webb
Tim Williams
Lorrie Williford



Doug Windham
Scarlet Wright
Scott Young



Tammie Manners made a beautiful 1974-1975 Homecoming Queen



Coach Yancey keeps an eye on spastic-elastic 9th graders.

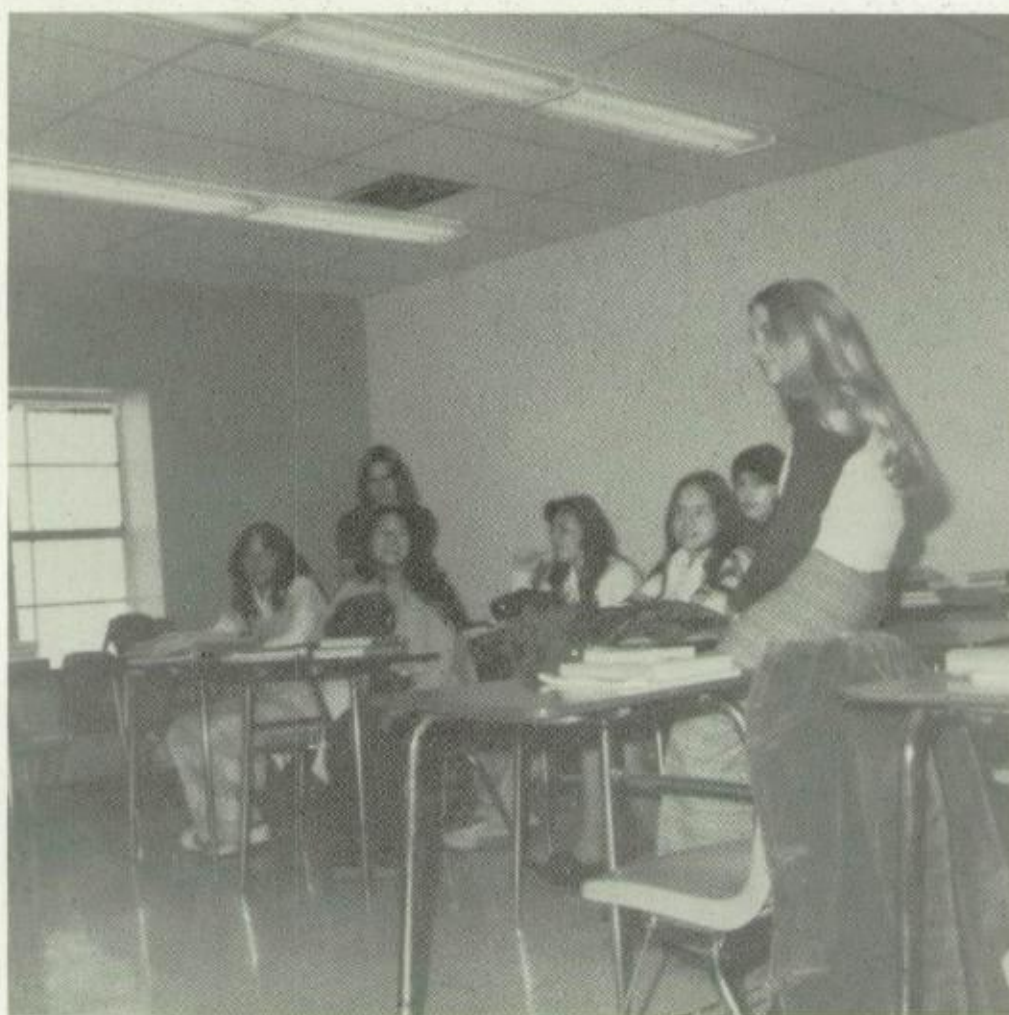


*Ninth Grade Spirit
Is Everywhere*



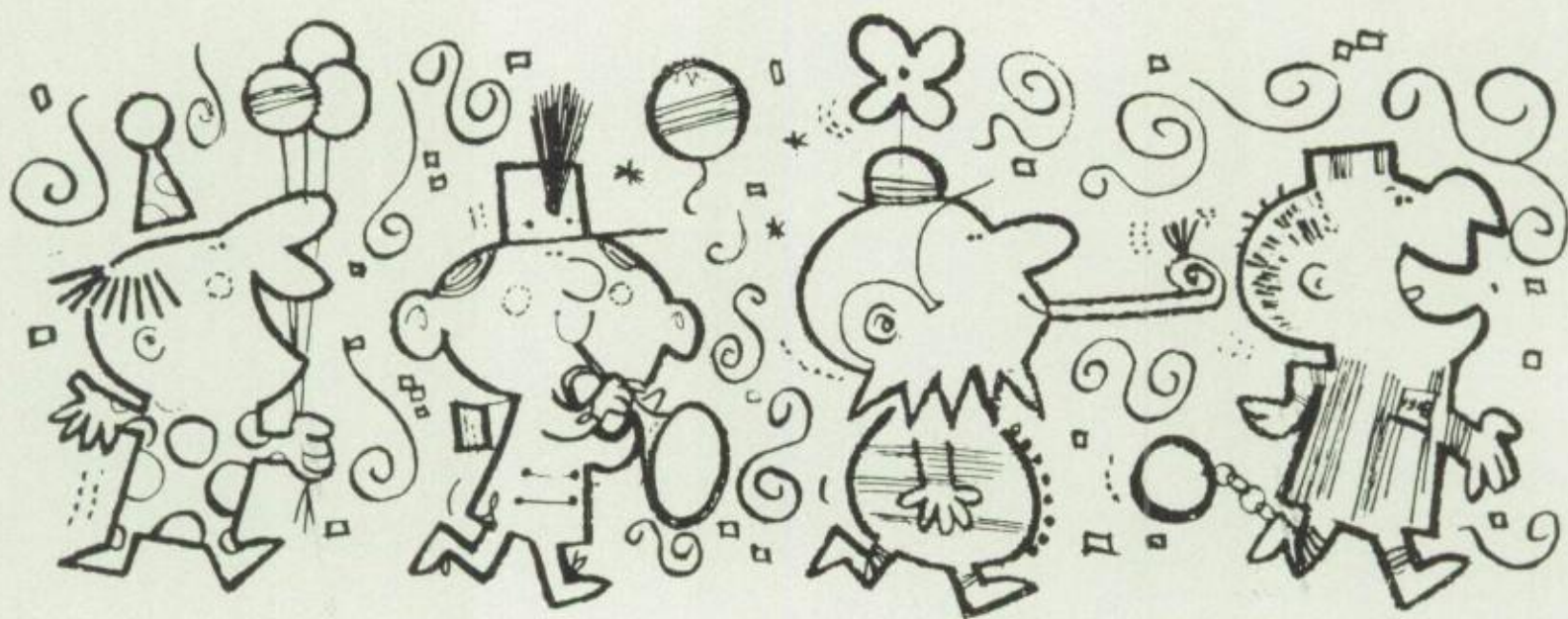


Our ninth grade cheerleaders did a superb job at the Mid-South Fair!!



"Jimmy Brock in Action!"

Agnas Smith, the police lady helps ninth graders across the street.



Everyday is a party for freshmen!

Eighth Grade

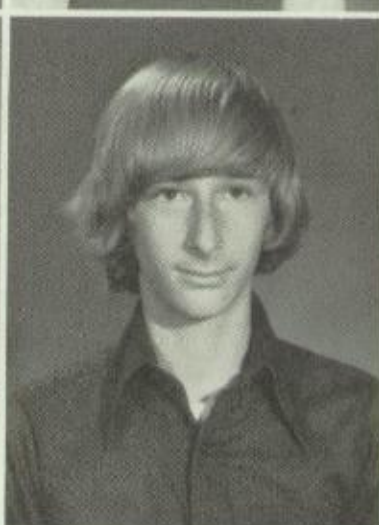
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Byron Anderson
Melanie Appling
John Biggs



Phyllis Blackburn
Beth Brewer
Pam Brown
Kevin Brummet



Sandra Bryant
Ivan Bush
Jimmy Burkeen
David Byrne



Kevin Campbell
Jan Coley
Martha Cooper
Tim Crow



Mike Dale
Terri Dalton
Robert Daniel
Bill Davenport





Robby Dearen
Lee Diffie
Lou Diffie
Mac Dooley



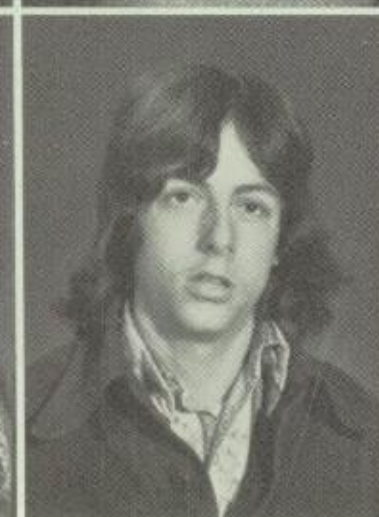
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Mark Durham
Paul Ebersold
Dana Ellison



Regina Ernest
Kevin Estes
Mike Eubanks
Carol Ann Farmer



Lynn Fitch
Sonya Fortner
Chuck Gaglio
Emily Gardner



Richard Gardner
Leighann Germany
Chris Gervis
Maurie Gill

Steve Glidewell
 Laura Gray
 Ronny Hale
 Keith Harrison



Stephanie Herring
 Renee Jackson
 Tim Johnson
 Leslie Kelly



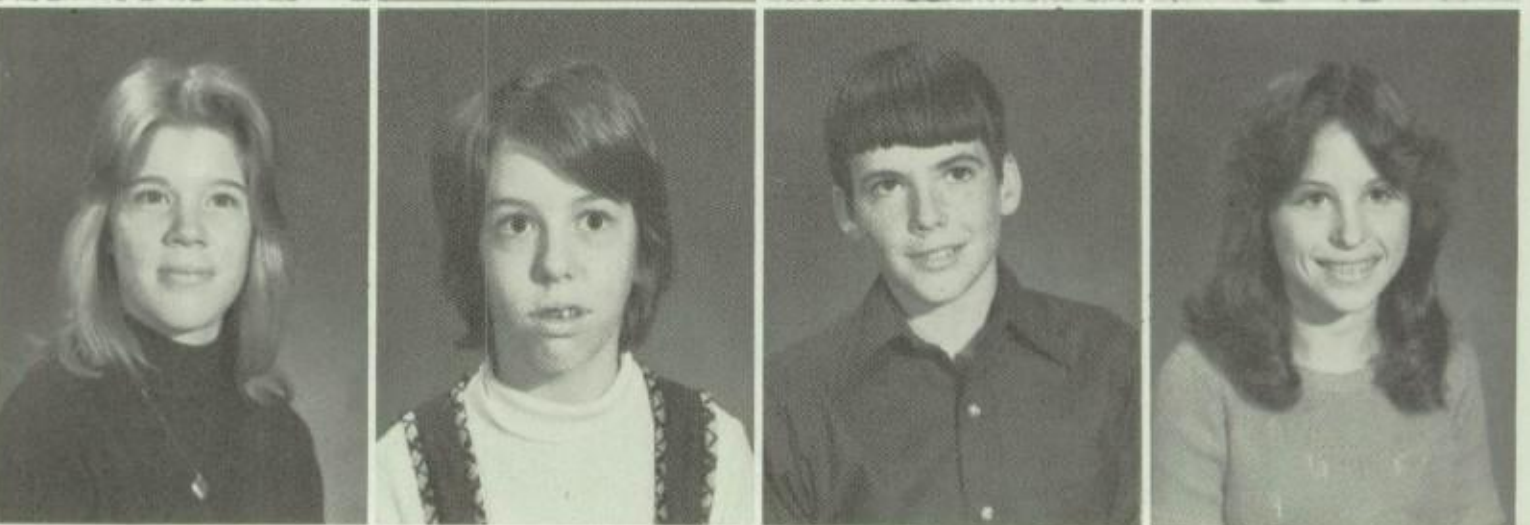
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 George Koesis
 Mike Kuhlman



Vicki Lawing
 Lisa Lesseg
 Billy Lusby
 Bob Maners



Robin May
 Susan McConnico
 Tommy Meredith
 Kathy Miller





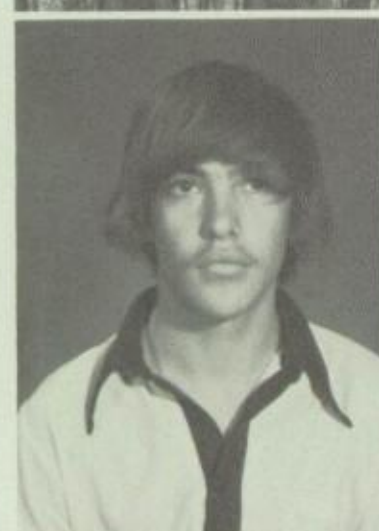
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Bobby Morrison
Michelle Morrison
Sherry Murphree



Cam Noel
Leah Osborne
Debra Paulk
Lisa Phillips



Tony Pirani
Sharon Poole
Parker Proctor
Jeff Rainey



Paul Rivalto
Suzanne Robertson
Joey Rose
Vicki Rowland



Steve Sanders
Jeff Shannon
Lisa Shirey
Donna Smith

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Gene Tate
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Mike Trobee
Mike Turnbow



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Daryl Weathers

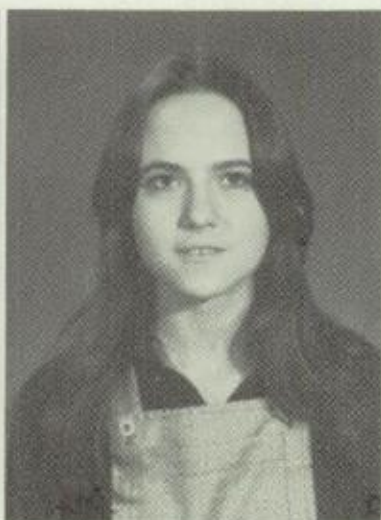


Rene Wheeler
Keith Whitaker



Tammy Snyder





Mark Wilborn
Cindy Wiley
Mary Ann Wilkinson



David Williams



Mike Williams



Everyone enjoys a good game.



Tracy Williams
Susan Wilson
Debra Wood



Mrs. Mashburn keeps her eighth graders under control.



Carol Farmer was a beautiful representative for the eighth grade homecoming court.



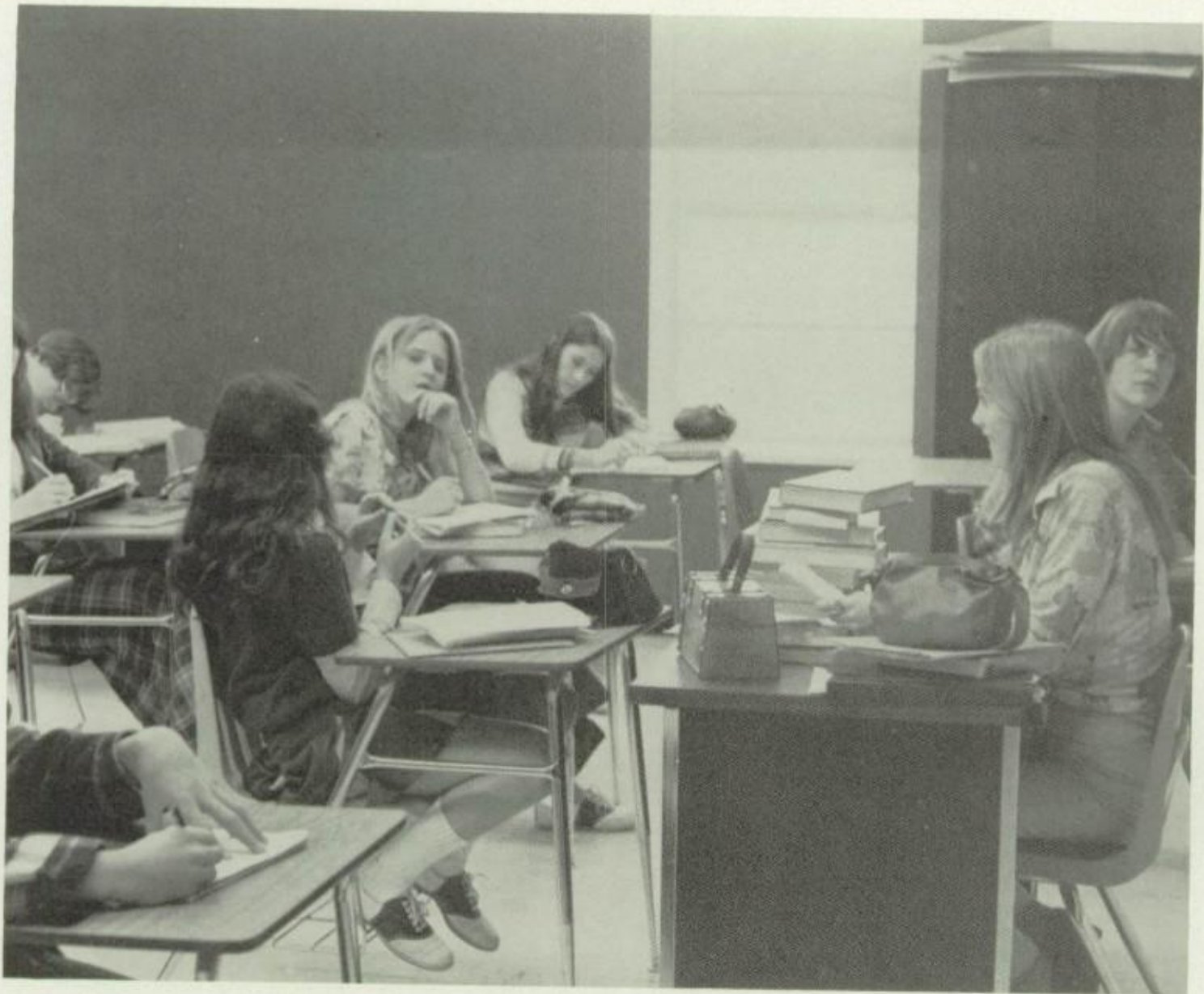
A Bright Alert Group.



It looks like someone is trying to take a cat nap!

Who said it takes a leather ball to play bombardment?!





KEVIN BRUMMETT Phyllis Blackburn Gina Ernest
 Debra Paul Mark Jeff Thomas
 Miller Jeff Thomas
 Allen Lee Ann Thomas
 Scott Bernadette Emily
 Sharon Cindy Gardner
 Poole Willy David
 Tracy

Keith Henison
 Susan
 GEORGE McConno
 SISCO Mary
 Vicki Wilkin
 Ray Samuel
 Williams Chuck Bogie
 Joyce



Seventh Grade



Chris Adkins
Mike Anderson
Lisa Antwine
Judy Banks



Diane Beckman
Monica Biggs
Ronnie Blackard
Jackie Blankinship



Jeff Bowman
Lisa Brackett
Andy Bramlett
Kyle Brooks



Chuck Burke
Mike Burkeen
Mike Burrow
Sandra Byrd



Charles Chipman
Sandi Cockrum
Gary Cox
Tina Crawley

Missy Crum
Richard Daniel
Deidre Davenport
Mark Dickson



Ann Dukes
Kevin Erwin
Wayne Essary
Debbie Gervis



David Greer
Renee Grissom
Carol Harper
Greg Haydel



Fred Hearn
Scott Henderson
James Hodge
Janet Huffman



Mike Ingram
Mark Jackson
Russ Jeffreys
Beth Johnson



Laurie King
Janet Knight



Tammy Krag
Jim Kuhlman

Lorri
Lautenschlager



Bethany
Lewis

Michelle
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Richard
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Jeff Little



Kathy Lloyd



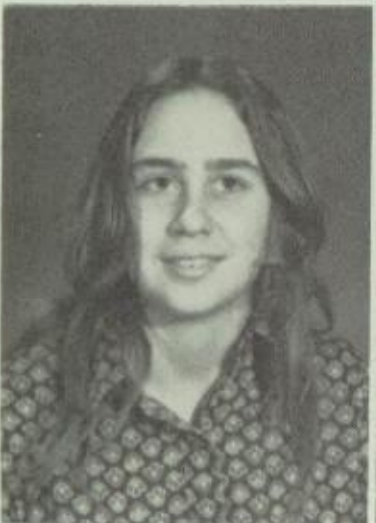
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Torrie Mashburn



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Jeff May



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Robby Meredith



Debbie Morgan

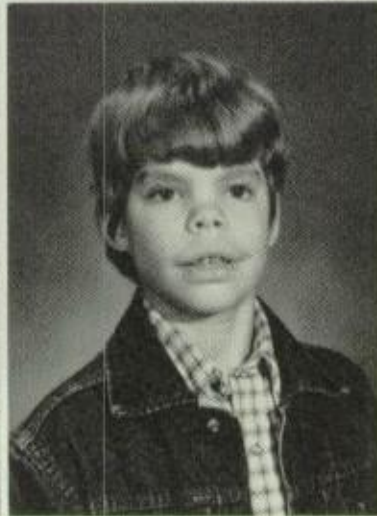
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Tim Nance



Jeff Parchman
Steve Patrick
Jim Payne
Kim Perry



Jeff Pike
Phillip Raley
Chuck Rast
Marilyn Reddin

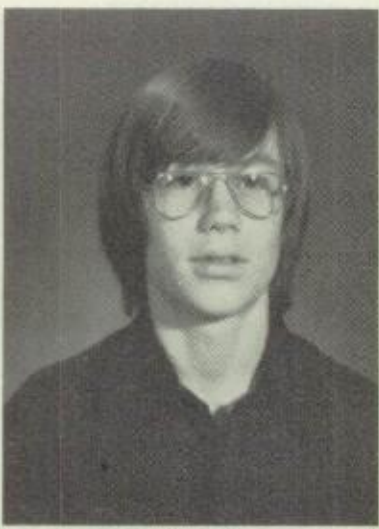


Laura Riggins
Jon Robertson

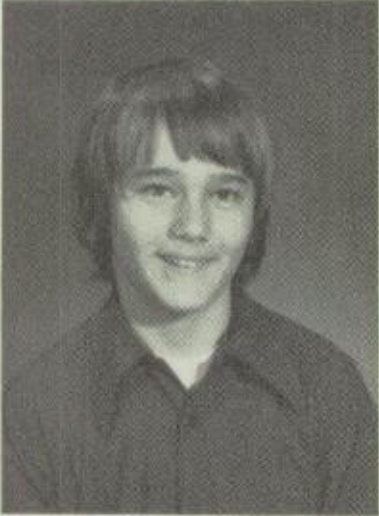
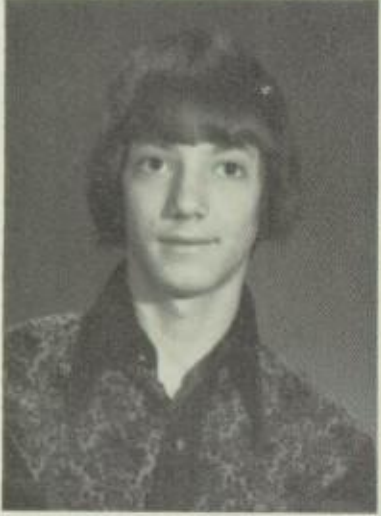


Chris Roemer





Richard Rose
Greg Russell
Kris Sartain
Mike Scianni



Craig Shackelford
Greg Shutt
Brenda Smeltzer
Donna South

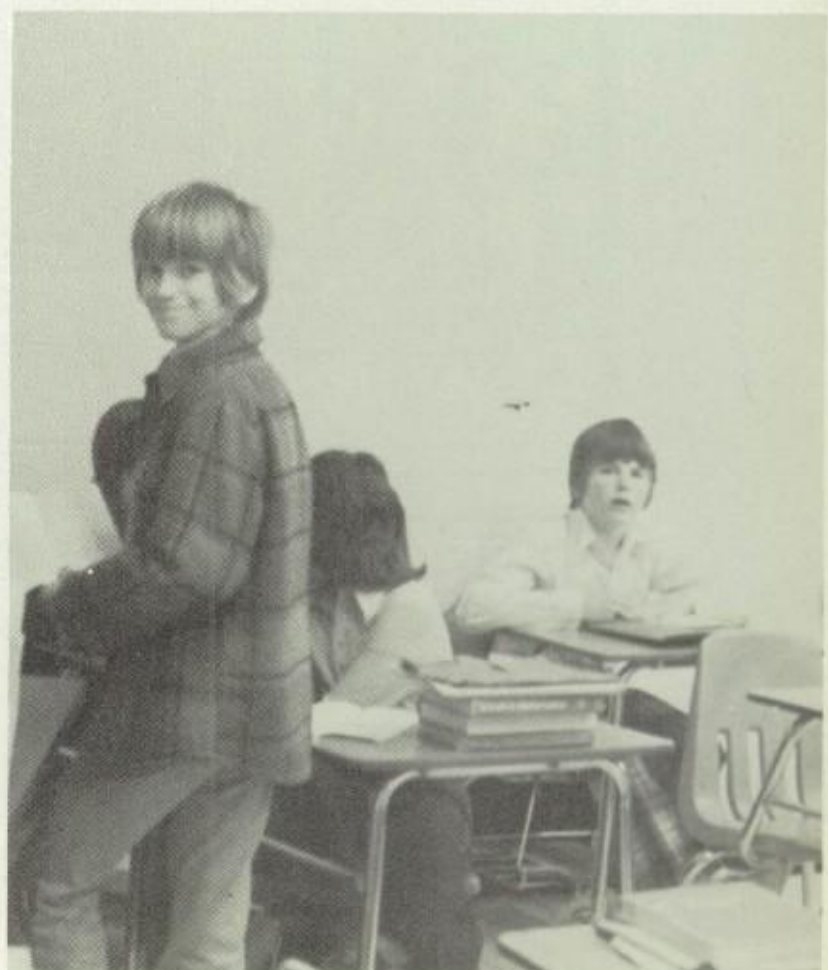


Bobby Streitenberger
Gary Taylor
Jeff Taylor



Robin Washam
Donnie Windham

Mischief?!





Ninth graders break through every time.



Some ninth graders are munchkins. Hee, Hee, Hee.

*Elementary
Classes*

Kindergarten-Sixth



Don
Bramlett



Raymond
Beard



Mark
Bates



Lorre
Ballard

Lori
Brean



David
Briggs

Lisa
Foppiano



Bobby
Farris



Paula
Ellis



Kim
Early



Terry
Derrick

Phil
Bryant



Rob
Butler



It's fun to
monkey
around!



Sims
Byrd



Ricky
Carnes



Andy
Childs



Ronnie
Culbreath



Renee
Dale



Angela
Davis





Anita
Furr



Nancy
Gaglio



Sherrie
Gammon



Dana
Godsey



Amy
Griggs



Wilbur
Guess



Dana
Gullick



Cheryl
Hall



Joni
Hall



Michele
Hamilton



Beau
Hardison



Brenda
Hargett



Chris
Hatcher



Jan
Hays



Jennifer
Jackson



Kathy
Jensen



Sherri
Jernigan



Jim
Jonakin



Missy
Jones



Dana
Joyce



Cheryl
Kee



Kathy
King



Karen
Klippel



Timmy
Kuhlman



Renee
Lamb



Mike
Lawing



Bruce
Martin



Rex
Martin



Tim
Martin



Mark
McBryde



Vicki
Neely



Jeff
Parish



Scott
Patterson



Leigh
Payne



Pam
Peel



Bill
Peters



Mark
Phillips



Donna
Ramage



Stephanie
Robinson



Ken
Sanders



Keith
Sanford



Andy
Scarlett



Kevin
South



Jeff
Stone



Johnny
Trainer



Kim
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Paul
White



Wendy
Wilmoth



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Wooten

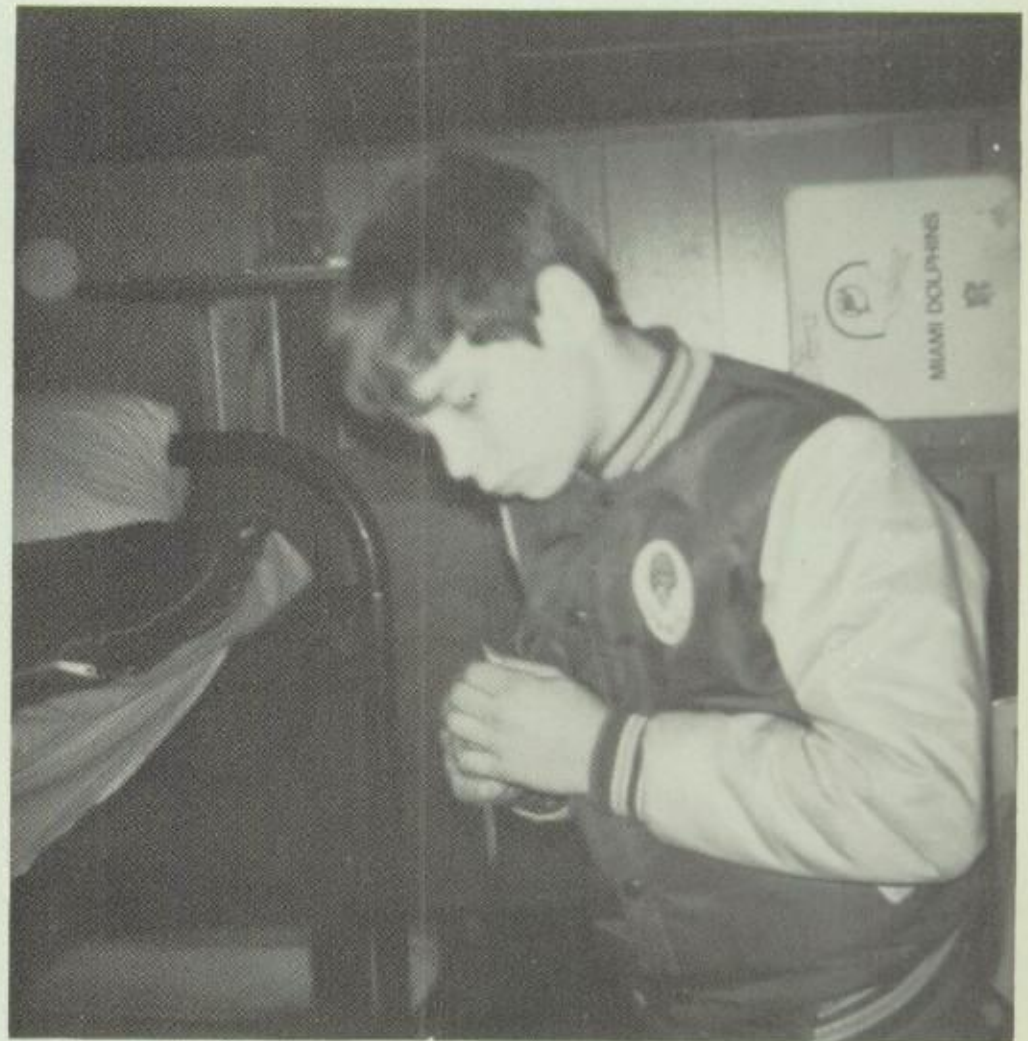


You sure these are high school students??

This fall the sixth grade class of Towering Oaks took a tour of The Great Smokey Mountains.



Karen, with the flu!!!



A moment of mediation . . . "please, not another hike today."



Ellen
Andrews



Scott
Banks



Sherry
Bennett



Lisa
Berry



Billy
Biliani



Debbie
Bowman



Stephanie
Bramlett



Mike
Brixey



Kimberly
Brummitt



Allyson
Burroughs



Teri
Byrd



Darla
Cash



Keith
Campbell



Lynn
Chiles



Kay
Clark



Keith
Ellison



Chris
Dohogne



Dee
DeVore



Timmy
Dale



Tamara
Crawley



Pamela
Cook



David
Emmons



Donna
Ernest



Leslie
Estes



Lynda
Forrester



Les
Fortner



Perry
Foy



Sonja
Furr



Jeff
Gentry



Emily
Gift



Brent
Godsey



Lenord
Grant



Pat
Graves



Greg
Griffin



Ronnie
Halford



D'Ann
Hamill



Randy
Haney



Marcella
Hankley



Jeanne
Harris



Shane
Hester



Jenné
Hill



Sharon
Hollowell



Tracy
Ingram



Robert
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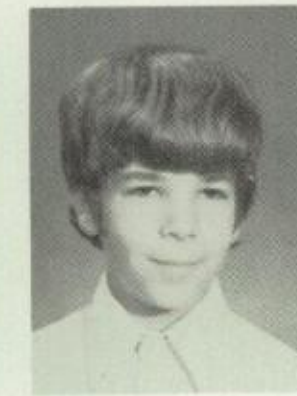
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Jeffries



Johnny
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David
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Ronnie
Luna



Janie
Maxwell



Sheila
McKimmy



Billy
Meeks



Tony
Meyer



Paula
Middleton



Ricky
Miller



Greg
Moore



Carolyn
Morris



Andy
Northern



Les
Owens



Greg
Parchman



Jack
Peel



Robbie
Plessmon



Patty
Poole



Todd
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Karen
Richards



David
Rogers



Kevin
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Chris
Roland



John David
Sanford



Annette
Savage



Joe
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Jeff
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Jim
Sisco



Denise
Smith



Jill
Smith



Ronnie
Spain



Lee Ann
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Renée
Swanton



Scott
Treadway



Steve
Webb



Teresa
Wells



Kent
Whitaker



Tim
Wilder



Lisa
Zedlitz



Julie
Hatcher





"They put me by myself. I guess it is because I'm special."



There is no end to work!



A smile is worth a million words.



"Safety First"



Jeff
Acuff



Brian
Butler



Lisa
Avent



Karen
Butler



Kyle
Aylor



Dawn
Carter



Greg
Battistelli



Kim
Bledsoe



John
Bragorgos



Ricky
Brewer



Tammy
Brock



Marlo
Carter



Todd
Chandler



Scott
Chism



Duane
Coleman



Shayne
Dalton



Allison
Dickinson



Danny
Dickson



Brad
Dukes



James
Early



Donna
Ellis



Alan
Eubanks



Lisa
Farrell



Lisa
Fitch



Charles
Forbes



Barry
Ford



Melinda
Ford



Mike
Gallimore



Sherri
Glidewell



Regina
Gower



Darin
Griffis



Tammy
Gullick



Becky
Guthrey



Judy
Hamill



Randy
Hammett



Steven
Hardy



Tim
Harrison



Wesley
Henderson



Chip
Hester



Mark
Howard



Bo
Ingram



Lori
Johnson



Barry
Kelley



David
Kelly



Robbie
Klippel



Steve
Lawson



Tracy
Lytle



Leslie
McEntire



Scott
McIlwain



Terri
Miller



Patricia
Moore



Patti
Morris



Barry
Morse



Angela
Myrack



Kirk
Riggins



Jennifer
Robinson



Curt
Roland



Sam
Sadler



Carol
Schmidt



Debbie
Smeltzer



Lynn
South



David
Sullivan



Leslie
Thornton



Penny
Watkins



Lori
Watson



Melissa
Williams



Bobby
Woods



Mark
Wright



Mark
Wright



Alison
Young



True friends don't always
see eye to eye.

Craig
Adkins



Holly
Allen



Apryl
Berry



Aaron
Bradshaw



Angie
Brean



Laura
Burrow



Lindsey
Chalmers



Keith
Copeland



Tara
Dilworth



Ted
Downen



Jennifer
Byrd



Tamara
Ellis



Karl
Emens



Eric
Foy



Lynn
Freeman



Jennifer
Gaither



Dan
Germany



Leslie
Gift



Darla
Goza



Stacey
Gray



Gina
Grissom



Jimmy
Guess





Danny
Hankley



Len
Hardison



Sonja
Harris



John
Hemphill



Peter
Hodge



Ronnie
Hollowell



Tonya
Hubble



Angela
Jones



Johnette
Jones



Kathy
Kendrick



Melanie
Kirk



Tim
Lockridge



Becky
Martin



Linda
Martin



Jody
Metcalf



Melinda
Metts



Eric
McBryde



Chris
Miller



Johnny
Mize



Laurie
Moultrie



Susan
Nance



Ken
Mix



Lisa
Oliver



Julia
Ostby



LeAnn
Penna



Mark
Pillow



Scott
Reidenbach



Robert
Renner



Dan
Riley



Robin
Rogers



Terry
Sisco



Reggie
Smith



Michelle
Stark



Jackie
Stone



Jan
Stone



Chuck
Trim



Kris
Vaiden



Gaye
Varner



Johnny
Ward



Cheryl
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Butch
Wells



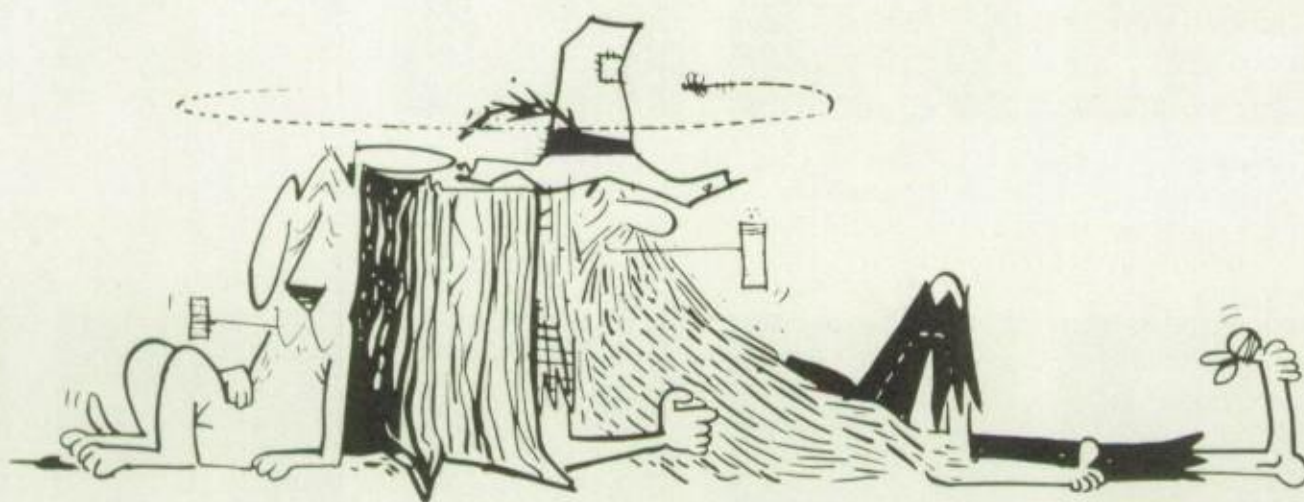
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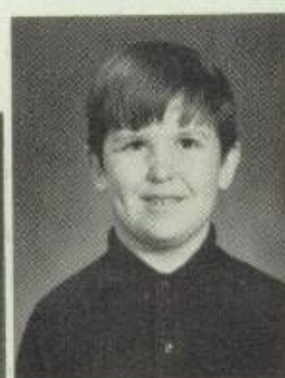
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Blackard



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Tammy
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Steve
Burns



Stacey
Butler



Leia
Carroll



Stephen
Chandler



Leslie
Cleaves



Allen
Clements



Vicki
Coleman



Deanna
Cook



Julie
Cook



Steven
Davis



Judy
Farris



Karen
Ford



Mark
Gammon



Anjie
Garrett



James
Green



Jeff
Hale



Cindy
Hardin



Jon
Hargett



Todd
Hemphill



Lisa
Hodges



Eric
Howard



Michael
Hulsey



Michelle
Jackson



Susan
King



Kim
Lamberth



Beth
Langston



Kevin
Lawson



Jeff
Linton



Tracy
Love



David
Lusby



David
Lytle



136 Alicia
Maddry



Ken
Meeks



Leigh Ann
Mills



Stephanie
Nelson



Rob
Ousley



Vicki
Oyler



Claire
Parks



Brett
Patterson



Angela
Ray



Michael
Ruffner



Kara
Sanders



Dennis
Shackleford



Alicia
Stephenson



Bob
Stephens



Leah
Sutton



John
Taylor



Vanessa
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Cabot
Thomas



Skipper
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LuAnn
Trainer



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Treadway



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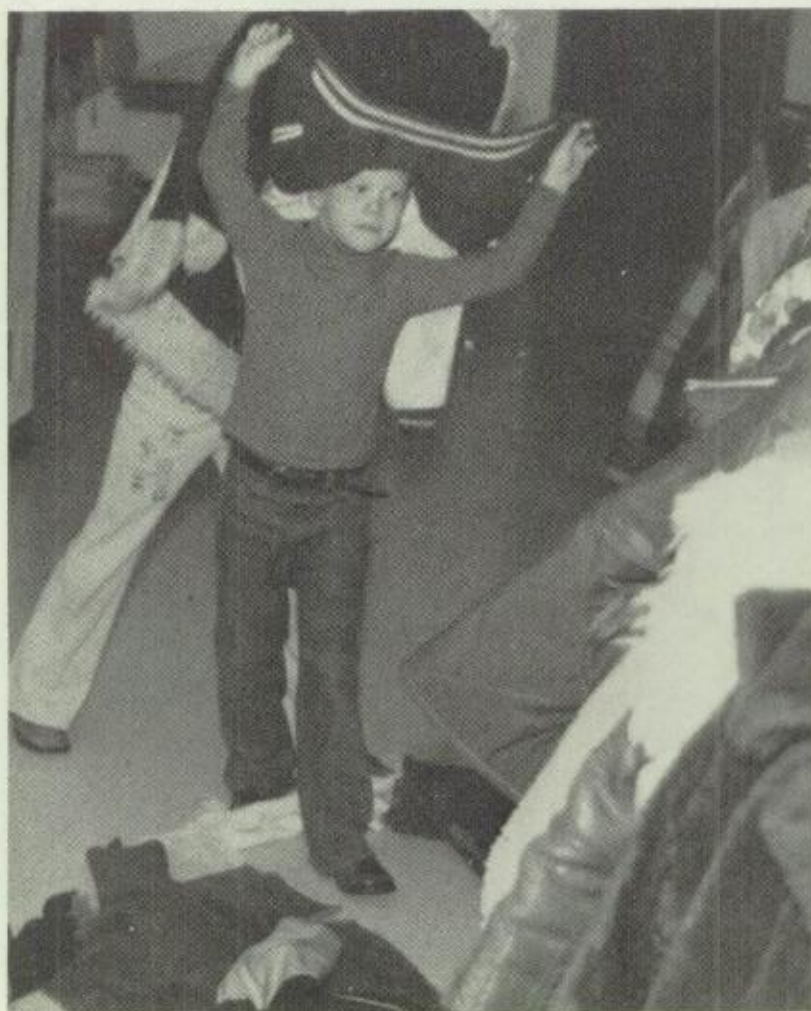
Joslyn
Welborn



Jessica
Wellons



Holley
Wingo



Neatness isn't every-
thing!



Lisa
Allen



Glenn
Arnold



Tab
Bagwell
Chris
Ballentine



Eddie
Barnard
Cindy
Brewer



Lance
Brown
Lisa
Brown



Todd
Chalmers
Shannon
Chapman



Debbie
Christian
Kevin
Cochran



John
Cook
Stephanie
Crofutt



Paul
Downen



Mark
Freeland



Mark
Gallim



Ashlee
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Michael
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Rob
Harolson



Darin
Harper



Matt
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Michael
Harris



Theresa
Hawk



Denise
Haynes



Richard
Holloms



Damon
Isbell



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Jan
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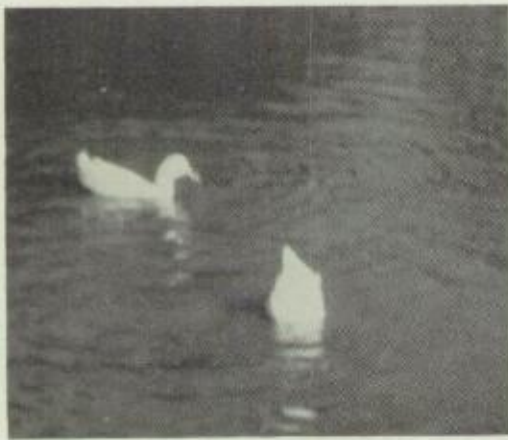


Jeff
Williams



What grade is this? We're supposed to be in kindergarten!

When you see the teacher coming -
duck!





Laura
Bates



Deanna
Dalton



Lisi
Brigham



Lezley
Dodson



Ricky
Finley



Ted
Gatlin



Endy
Carter



Susan
Gowen



Sharon
Halford



Thomas
Conner



Scott
James



Stacey
Jones



Curt
Craig



Mike
Keough



Franklin
Laws



Steve
Lochridge



Trevor
Martin



Timmy
Nelson



Lisa
Nichols



Jan
Pillow



Hugh
Prather



Susan
Ramsey



Debbie
Roberts



Karen
Sanford



Andy
Sisco



Todd
Smith



Greg
Stephenson



Steve
Sullivan



Lance
Tindall



Busy as a bee!



"Gee, I wished I was a senior!"



And Janice replied, "I'll sing to that."



"If you don't let me read next, I'll hold my breath!"



"I love to cook!"



NOT PICTURED:
Dana Haynes
Dixie Green
Carol Zedlitz
Johnny Pitts
Charles Tate
Linda Hoban
Mark Wright
Ken Sanders

Read, Read, Read!!!



Shower your teacher with gifts,
even if it's only paper!!!



At least we learned when 3:00 p.m. comes.



Clubs and Organizations

ONK



Annual Staff

THE T: Miss Matthews, Neil Loftiss, Karen Branim, Dennis Melton, Kathy Johnson, Hal Perry, Mrs. Hendrix, Lisa Denegri, Kristi Klippel, Ginger White, Mary James, Lisa Mills, Jan Rainwater. THE O: Beth Gaglio, Amy Graham, Linda Phillips, Joan Pilkinton, Melanie Adams, Leigh Ann Martin, Lin Fultcher, Sharon Emmons.



This is hilarious!!



Look at it this way . . .



FRONT ROW - Susan Hulsey, Jeff Christensen, Lisa Gryder, Martha Cooper, Gene Tate, Bobby Morrison, Billy Oyler, Mark Jackson, Andy Graves, Paul Ebersold, Cam Noel, Mike Williams, Mike Dale, Jeff Bowman, Robin May, Joey Rose, Pam Brown, Mr. Wilson, Marsha Oldham, Cheryl Luna, Jan Norrell, Barbara Emens, Lisa Shirey, Gigi Goldsmith, Mark Wilbourn, Lorry Liberto, Mike Turnbow, Warren Hampton, Keith Whitaker, Kevin Estes, Mike Trobee, Jimmy Emens.

Senior and Junior High Band

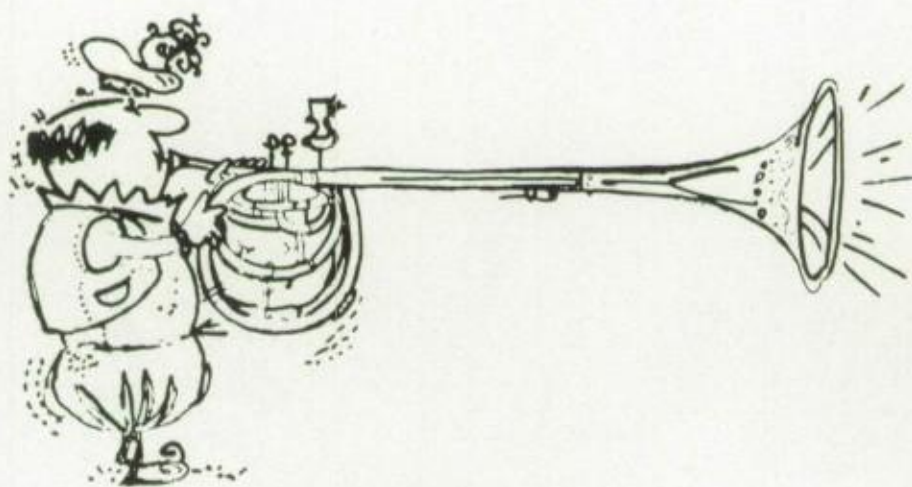


Inside or out they are something to toot about!



Elementary Band

1st ROW, left to right - Bruce Martin, Darla Cash, Patti Poole, Marcella Hankley, Renee Dale, Pamela Cook, Kay Clark. 2nd ROW - Pam Peel, Karen Klippel, Kathy Jensen, Emily Gift, Rob Butler, Scott Banks, Billy Biliari. 3rd ROW - Timmy Dale, David Emmons, Ronnie Culbreath, Scott Treadway. 4th ROW - Robbie Jones, Pat Graves, Leonard Grant, Mark McBride.



Chorus



BACK ROW, left to right - Norma Forrester, Terri Frisby, Kay Parks, Jack McCormick, Mike Heflin, Greg Shirey, Jon Hodge, Kevin Willis, Janet Collins, Debbie Ferguson, Amy Graham. SECOND ROW - Karen Emens, Jayne Martin, Paula Bradshaw, Julianne Thomas, Laurie Carter, Debra Jackson, Mrs. May. FIRST ROW - Pam Judd, Connie Boldreghini, Cindi Lonon.



The Chorus presented an excellent program, "Celebrate Life" to the entire high school. They also presented "An Evening of Song" in the spring.



A future Senior High Chorus!

Senior High Cheerleaders



SPLITS - Julie Morie. FLOOR, left to right - Terri Frisby, Dana King, Kim Dohogne, Kathy Griffin, Kathy Walton. SHOULDERS - Leslie Ford, Leann Crawford, Pam Judd.

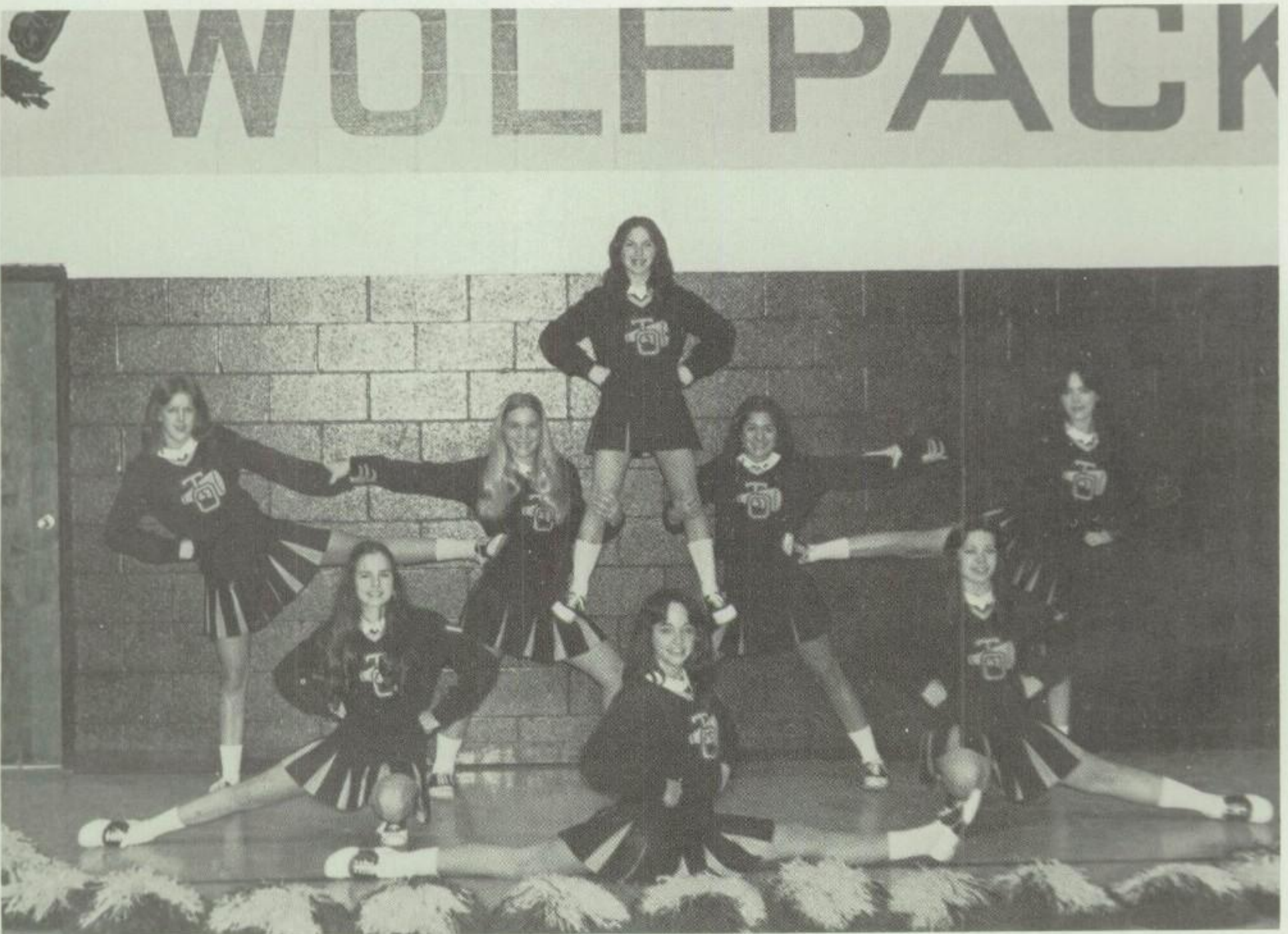


Always
attractive!

Always smiling . . .



Cheerleaders Junior High



STANDING, left to right - Shelia Watkins, Diane Chandler, Tammie Manners, Kellie McIlwain, Elizabeth Merrick. FLOOR, left to right - Tina Ingram, Lorrie Williford, Totsy Culbreth.



A toast to spirit!!!



SHOULDERS, left to right - Stephanie Herring, Carol Farmer. STANDING, left to right - Tami Krag, Mariann Wilkinson, Lynn Finch. FLOOR, left to right - Melanie Appling, Kim Perry, Sonya Fortner.

7th and 8th Cheerleaders



A vision of spirit!!!



BACK ROW, left to right - Donna Ernest, Stephanie Robinson, Amy Griggs, Karen Richards. FRONT ROW, left to right - Lori Watson, Wendy Lumm, Donna Ellis.



We want to be cheerleaders when we grow up!!!



Some are enthusiastic, others calm!!

Elementary Cheerleaders



Mrs. Ott gets an A in typing, but an F in photography!!!

STANDING, left to right - Co-Captain Lucinda Burroughs, Cathy May. KNEELING - Cindy Butler, Captain.



WOLFPACK



FRONT ROW, left to right - Valerie Lusby, Jane Sedberry, Susan Carter, Betty Bell, Cindy Butler, Sue Summers, Vicki Butler, Pam Robison, Debbie Daniels. SECOND ROW, left to right - Danita West, Angie Deripaska, Diane Edwards, Paula Hall, Janice Parker, Lucinda Burroughs, Cathy May, Debbie Coulter, Robin Randolph, Candy Roemer, Dianne Jackson, Leah Hicks.

D *T*
r *e*
i *a*
l *m*
l



They even performed at the Coliseum!



FIRST ROW, left to right - Lisa Mills, Julie Morie, Carol Haggard, Cindy Butler, Janice Parker, Pam Robison. SECOND ROW, left to right - Jan Chandler, Valerie Lusby, Shiela Laycook, Vicki Smith, Cindy Perrin, Linda Streebeck, Dr. Greene. THIRD ROW, left to right - Lucinda Burroughs, Marsha Oldham, Ruth Woods, Jan Norrell, Janet Collins, Elyse Theobald, Barbara Emens, Sharon Emmons, Karen Emens, Karen Branim. 4th ROW - Chuck Lindsey, Keith Riggins, Tim McClellan, Jimbo Haggard, Curt Ladd, Steve Liberto, Glenn Ayers, Jon Hodge. BACK ROW - Randy Hodges, Robert Wilkinson, Jim Gray, Dennis Melton, Jack McCormick, Mark Lagrone, Mike Heflin, Randy Johnson, Neil Loftiss.

Drama Club

Comedy
and
Tragedy





WOLFPACK



FIRST ROW - John Mayberry, Keith Riggins, Joe Jenson, Marke Poole, Tom Majors, Bobby Parani, Mike Watkins, John Henderson, Jon Hodge, Dale Smith, Peri Proctor. BACK ROW - Mr. Patterson, Keith Green, Jay Adkins, Tim McClellan, Bob Talley, Wayne Moore, Jody Griggs, Phil Proctor, Jack Jackson, Pat Proctor, Bob Payne, Doug Jackson, Chuck Acuff, Steve Rainey, Coach Roger Yancey.



"I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." Philip-
pians 4:14

*Fellowship of
Christian Athletes*



FRONT, left to right - Kim Hicks, Sally Blalock, Elizabeth Merrick, Caryn Gable, Billy Oyler. SECOND ROW - Janet Brannon, Cindy Axley, Cynthia Rogers, Beth Webb. THIRD ROW - Chris Erwin, Lorrie Williford, Diane Chandler, Tina Ingram, Paul Cizek. FOURTH ROW - Tammie Manners, Christy Bradley.

The National Junior Honor Society has completed its first year at Towering Oaks. We have 47 active members. This year our activities have been helping in the Muscular Dystrophy Drive and having a banquet at Windyke Country Club.

Junior High Honor Society

Senior High National Honor Society



BACK ROW, left to right - Terry Morison, Luanne Martin, Peggy Johnson, Karen Banim, Sharon Emmons, Lisa Denegri, Lucinda Burroughs, Leslie Ford. FOURTH ROW, left to right - Jim Gray, Dennis Melton, Bob Talley, Mike McCormick. THIRD ROW, left to right - Pat Procter, Kim Ellinburg. SECOND ROW, left to right - Ruth Bowlin, Lin Fulcher, Linda Phillips, Beth Gaglio, Sue Summers, Laurie Linnert, Jane Martin. FIRST ROW, left to right - Pam Robison, Vicki Butler, Melanie Adams, Dawn Ragan, Robin Randolph, Pam McKellar, Vicki Smith.



Those who strive for excellence in scholarship, leadership, character and service constitute our Senior High National Honor Society. We are happy that 1974-75, our first year to have a chapter, has given us such excellent members.



STANDING - Mrs. Neuen, Cathy May, Cindy Payne, Tammy Owens, Cindy Axley, Cheryl Luna, Elizabeth Merrick, Cheryl Neely, Christy Diehl, Shirley Shepard, Jane Sedberry, Amy Graham, Angie Deripaska, Jan Canaster. SITTING - Becky Ford, Marily Clarke, Lisa Gryder, Laura Willia, Shelia Laycook, Ruth Bowlin, Kathy Henderson.

Future Homemakers of America

Our chapter of the Future Homemakers of America was approved by the state this year. Their activities include:

- A spaghetti dinner at the
Booster Club Carnival
- A Christmas tea honoring
their mothers
- A formal initiation of
members following dinner
at Victoria Station
- Making stuffed animals for
Baptist Hospital at Christmas
- Attending the State FHA convention
in Nashville April 30-May 1.



LEFT OF THE STAIRS - Norma Forrester, Caren Gable, Sharon Emmons, Randy Hodges, Susan Hulsey, Greg Lyles, Christy Bradley. RIGHT OF THE STAIRS - Kathy Johnson, Jan Canatser, Linda Phillips, Melissa Taylor, Paula Bradshaw, Angie Deripaska, Cathy May, Mrs. Butler. ON THE STAIRS - Hal Perry, Mike McCormick, Gigi Goldsmith, Gena Rowland, Pam Walls, Jan Rainwater, Debbie Day, Tina Ingram, Marilyn Clarke, Rita Chenalt, Kim Hicks, Jane Sedberry, Debbie Daniels, Dianne Jackson.



Future Teachers of America

French Club



BACK ROW - Linda Streebeck, Jim Hale, Tim Griffin, Randy Hodges, Dennis Melton, Chris Henderson, Peri Proctor, Glenn Ayers, Jeanne Ramsey, Janet Brannen, Kim Hicks. SECOND ROW - Lisa Mills, Miss Owen, Sharon Emmons, Christy Bradley, Ruby Williams, Tammie Manners, Sue Summers, Cris Rogers. FIRST ROW - Kelly Romig, Tiffany Jenkins, Angie Deripaska, Kim Varnado, Kathy Johnson, Pam Taylor, Kelli McIlwain.



The French Club has talented people such as Ms. Sharon Emmons presented here as "My Fair Lady."



Glen Ayers
"The Artist"



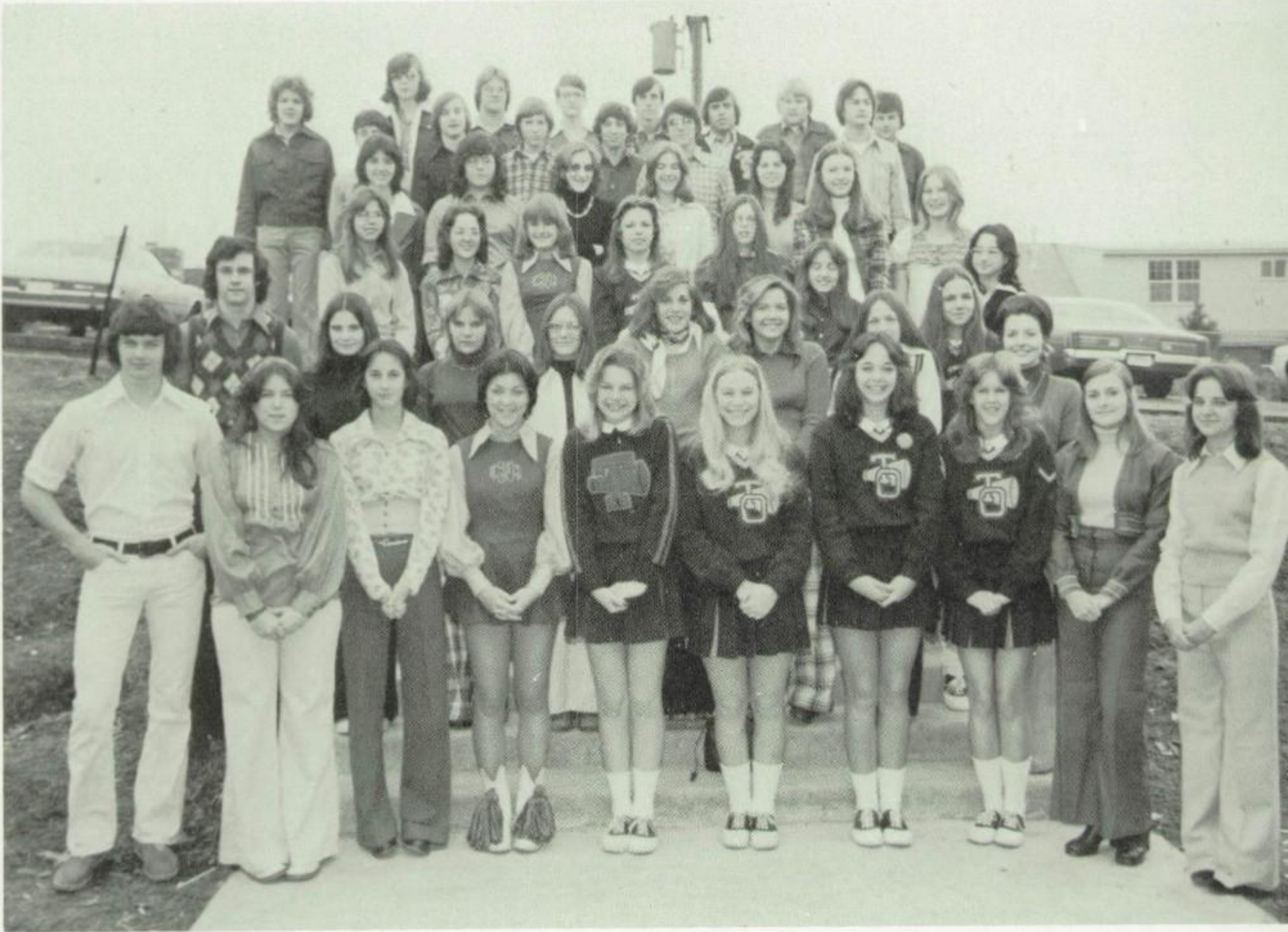
Left to right - Jimmy Coulter, Paul Cizek, Leigh Bramlett, Ginger Oyler, Keith Gillespie, Suzanne Adams, Randy Culbreth, Linda Reed, Julie Scianni, Randy Hodges, Cynthia Rogers, Lisa Woods, Mrs. Mashburn.



Ubi est Gallia?

Latin

Spanish

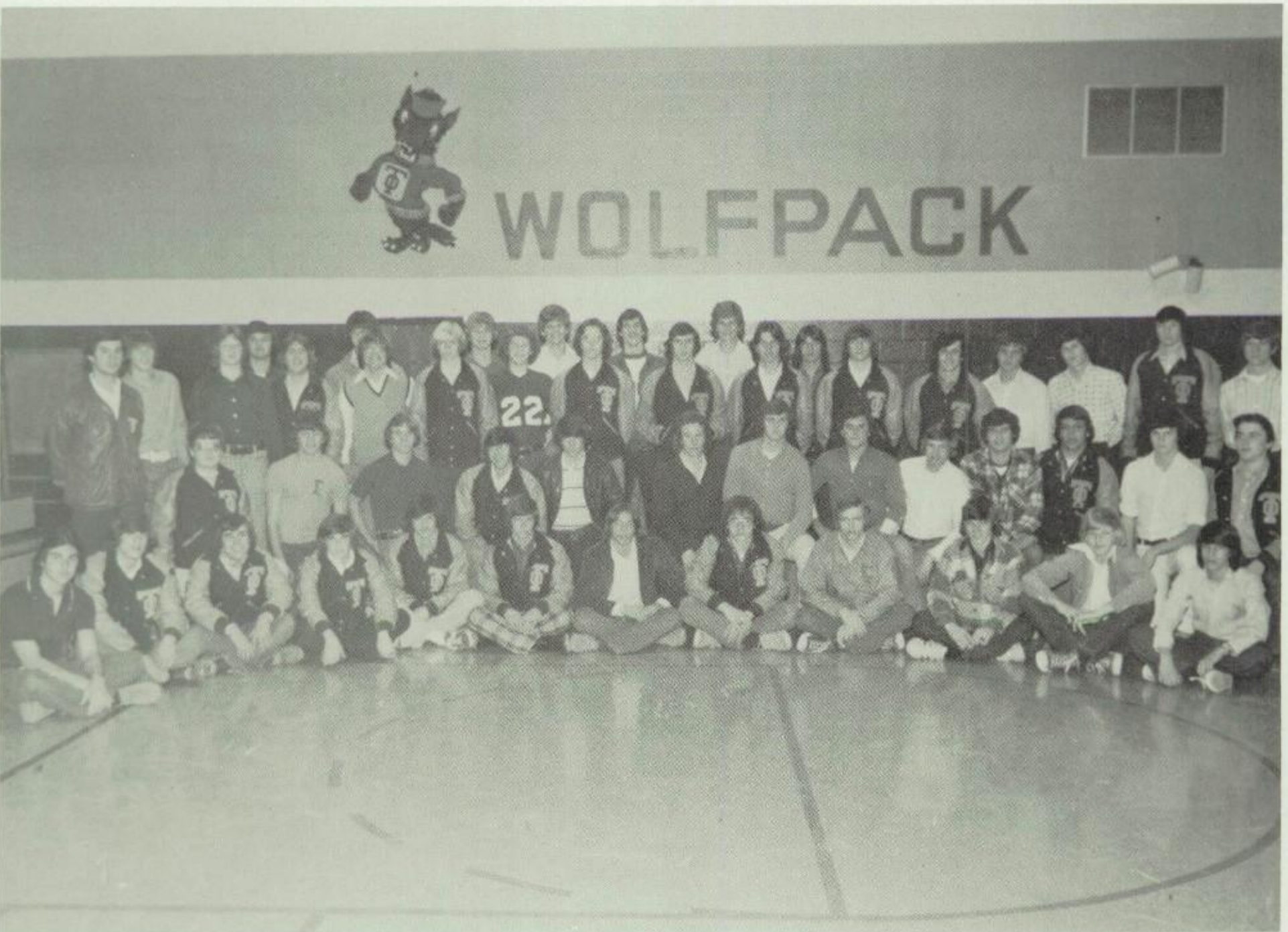


FIRST ROW, left to right - Scott Gray, Barbara Emens, Shelley Weeks, Danita West, Kathy Walton, Diane Chandler, Lorrie Williford, Sheila Watkins, Jan Norrell, Debbie Day. SECOND ROW, left to right - Peter Francis, Donna Jones, Charlene Forbes, Charlene Forbes, Gina Stevens, Julie McAdams, Amy Crum, Jana Harris, Tina Ingram, Mrs. Ousley. THIRD ROW, left to right - Gena Rowland, Karen McWilliams, Betty Bell, Totsie Culbreth, Rita Chenalt, Jan Rainwater, Karen Denegri. FOURTH ROW, left to right - Kathy Henderson, Beth Williams, Kristi Klippel, Leigh Ann Martin, Karen Branim, Sally Blalock, Caren Gable. FIFTH ROW, left to right - Chuck Lindsey, Greg Lyles, Jeff Harrison, Dale Irby, Kevin Joyner, David Herring, David Penna. LAST ROW, left to right - Jimmy Jolly, Mitch Greer, Rob Thorton, Woody Husted, Tom Majors, Jerry Fudge, John Holley.

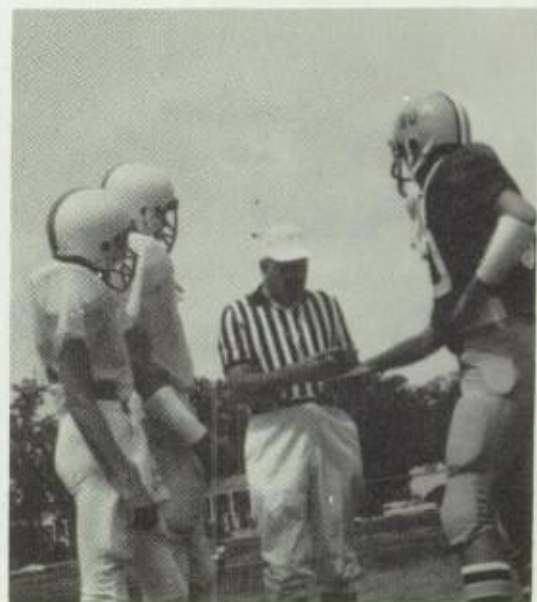
*i Nadie Sabe lo que puede
hasta que lo pruebe!*



Lettermen



FIRST ROW, left to right - G. Ayers, M. Heflin, T. Majors, M. Poole, C. Acuff, S. Rainey, R. Porter, B. Pirani, M. Watkins, J. Henderson, T. Carter, B. Smith. SECOND ROW, left to right - J. Jenson, J. Adkins, B. Rodriguez, J. Sanders, W. Deaton, C. Ladd, B. Ralston, J. Jackson, T. Turpin, M. Richards, S. Gray, J. Hodge. THIRD ROW, left to right - Coach Doss, C. Carpenter, K. Riggins, B. Talley, T. McClellan, J. Kelly, T. Rutherford, K. Green, J. Mayberry, S. Chism, P. Procter, M. Simcox, W. Ford, S. Childs, P. Francis, D. Jackson, T. Johnson, J. Gray, D. Smith.





KNEELING - Mike Kuhlman, Chris Thorton, Paul Ribalto, Jimmy Emens, Mike Davis, Ronnie Johnson, Mike Dale, Jim Hale, Parker Proctor, Paul Cizek, Hal Griggs, Chris Erwin. STANDING - Coach Murphy, George Koscis, Mike Eubanks, Kevin Estes, Jeff Shannon, David Cooper, Don Garner, Chris Obert, Maury Gill, Jeff Beckman, Doug Windham, Scott Sutherland, Curt Snow, Jimmy Brock, Ira Moss.

Junior High Lettermen



FRONT ROW - Lisa Denegri, Aleisha Russell, Tammie Manners. SECOND ROW - Terri Dolton, Lea Diffy, Dana Ellison. THIRD ROW - Melanie Appling, Lou Diffy, Christy Bradley. FOURTH ROW - Cindy Lonon, Shelley Weeks, Lisa Shirey. FIFTH ROW - Kim Brooks, Jayne Martin, Diane Chandler. SIXTH ROW - Ms. Bradford, Ginger White, Suzy Hodge, Laurie Linnert, Laura Gray, Gina Ernest, Tiffany Jenkins, Lorrie Williford, Dawn Ragan, Karen Emens.



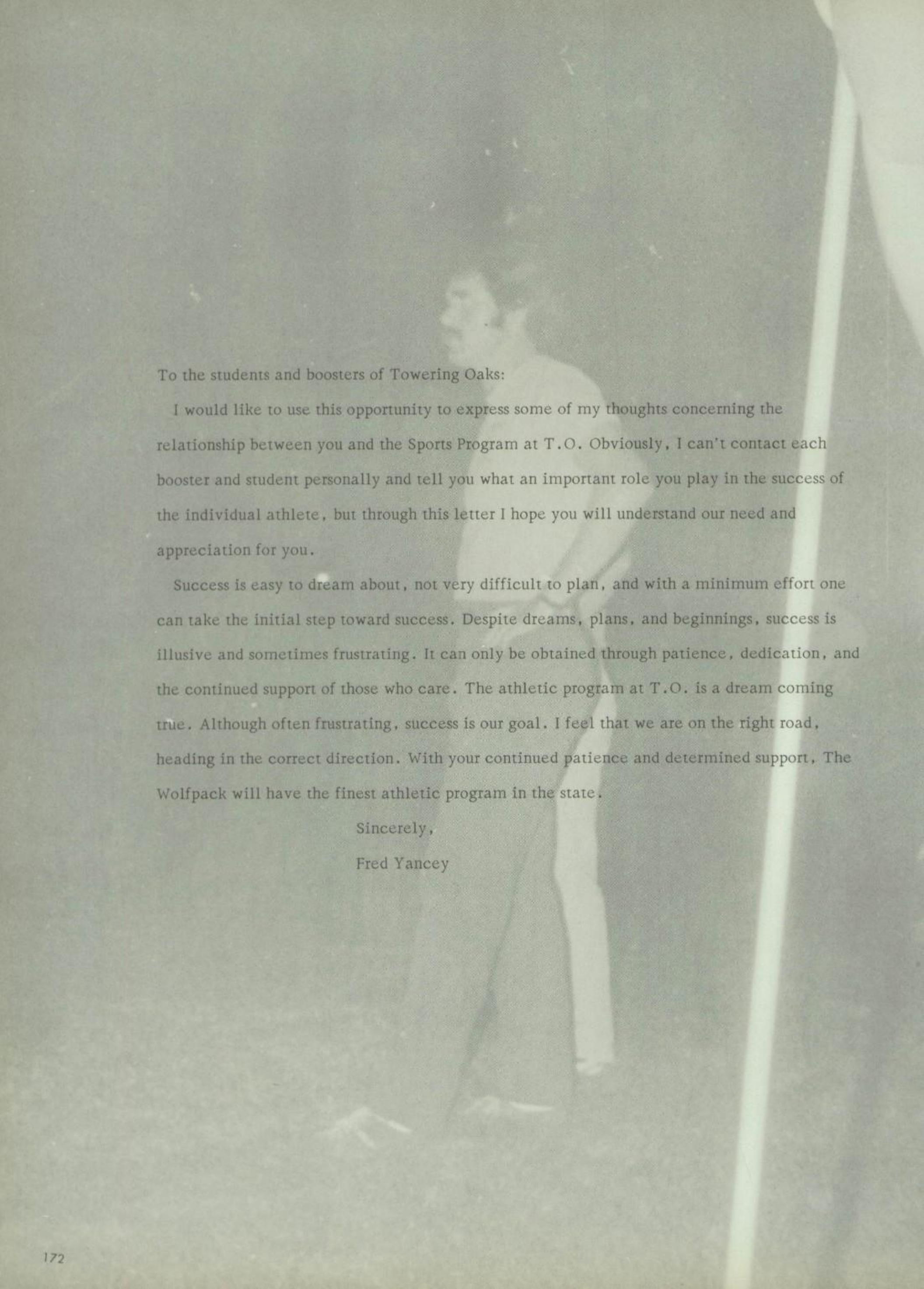
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Flowering Oaks
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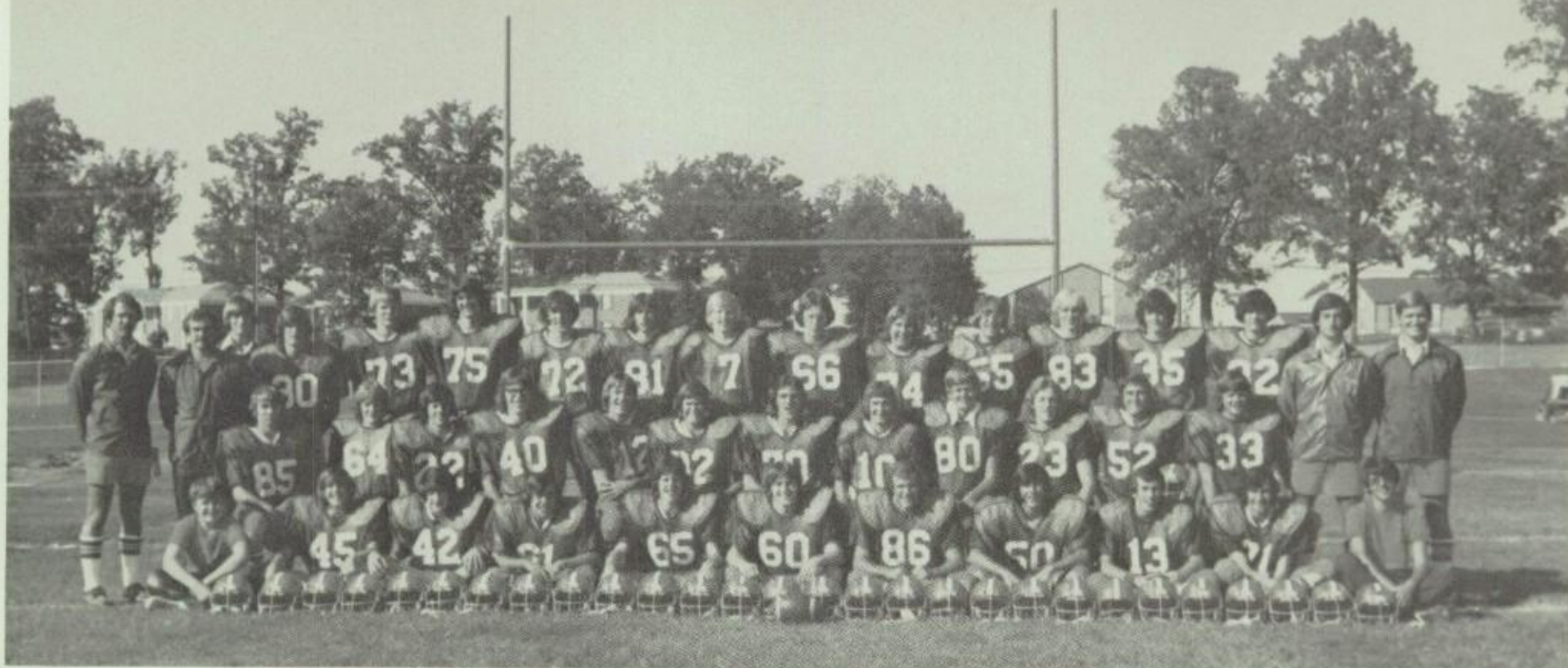
To the students and boosters of Towering Oaks:

I would like to use this opportunity to express some of my thoughts concerning the relationship between you and the Sports Program at T.O. Obviously, I can't contact each booster and student personally and tell you what an important role you play in the success of the individual athlete, but through this letter I hope you will understand our need and appreciation for you.

Success is easy to dream about, not very difficult to plan, and with a minimum effort one can take the initial step toward success. Despite dreams, plans, and beginnings, success is illusive and sometimes frustrating. It can only be obtained through patience, dedication, and the continued support of those who care. The athletic program at T.O. is a dream coming true. Although often frustrating, success is our goal. I feel that we are on the right road, heading in the correct direction. With your continued patience and determined support, The Wolfpack will have the finest athletic program in the state.

Sincerely,

Fred Yancey



STEVE CHISM



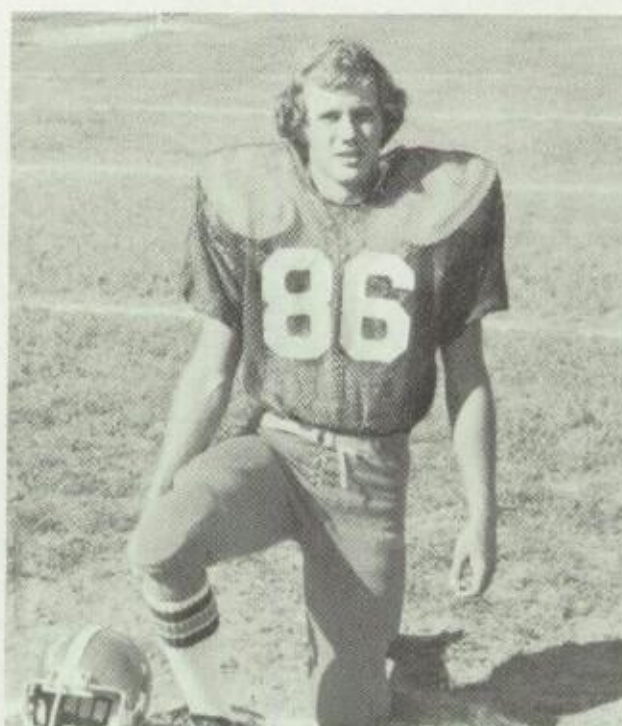
MIKE SIMCOX



JOHN SANDERS



JON HODGE



BILL RALSTON

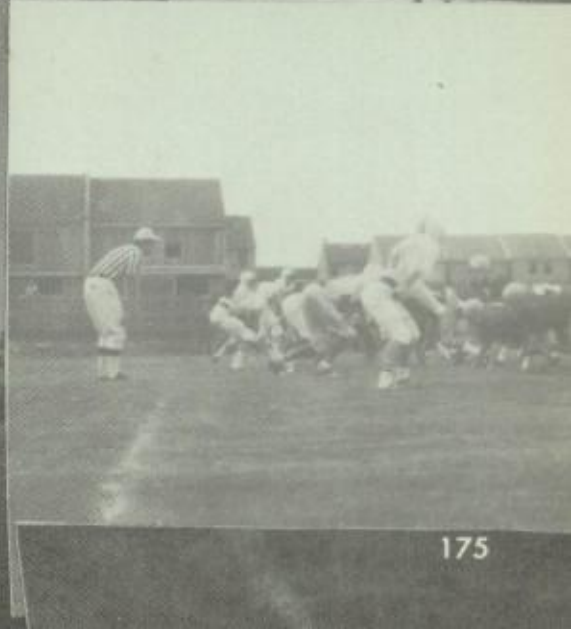
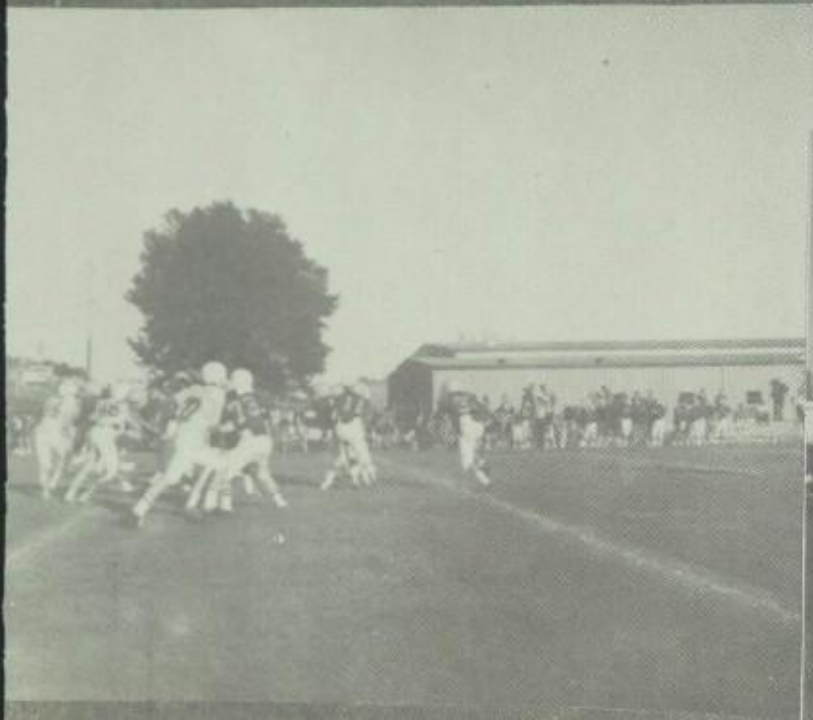
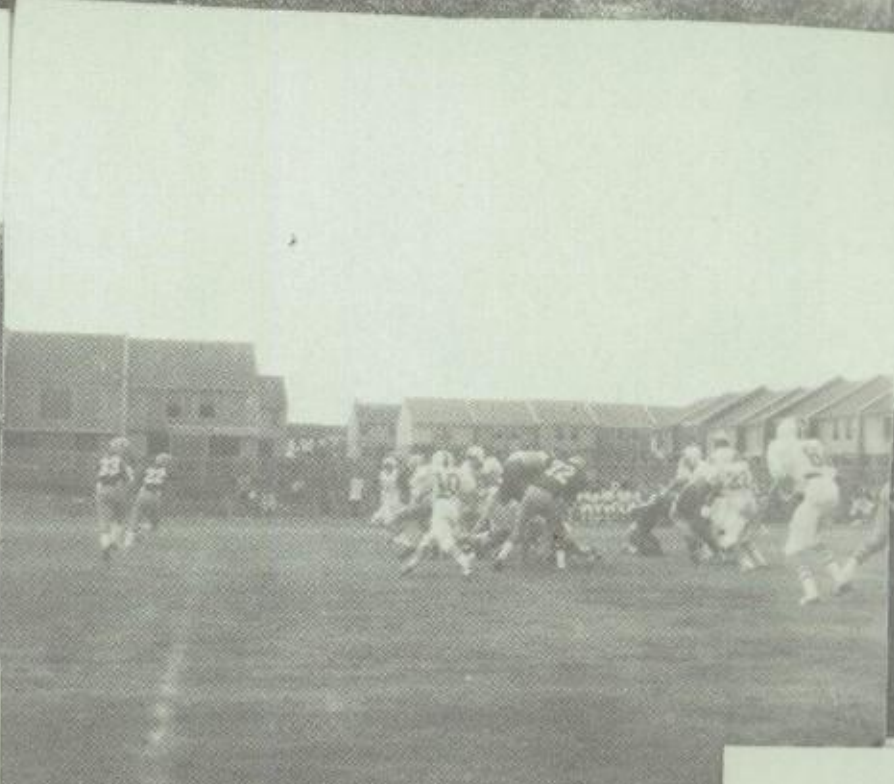


Our Senior Varsity Football Players



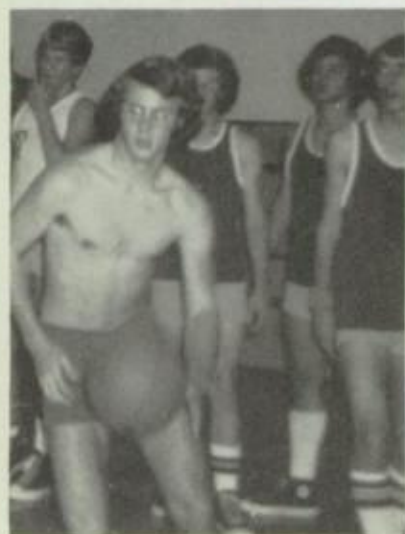
Junior High Football







FRONT ROW - J. Jenson, S. Chism, D. Smith, J. Griggs, C. Carpenter, P. Proctor. BACK ROW - Coach Patterson, M. Watkins, B. Talley, P. Proctor, J. Mayberry, J. Gray, M. Winn, J. Henderson.



*Success Is T.O.'s
Goal*

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Jackson Ave.	51
Balmoral	38
Frayser	67
SBEC	84
ECS	45
Rosemark	63
Elliston	62
Skyview	60
Briarcrest	51
Memphis Prep.	48
Oakhaven	65
Spurgeon	59
Fayette	35
SBEC	67
ECS	60
Elliston	66
Skyview	49
Briarcrest	56
Memphis Prep.	53
OBA	81
Spurgeon	56
Fayette	56
M.C.A.A. Playoffs	
Briarcrest	48
SBEC	80
Oakhaven Thanksgiving Tournament	
Rosemark	47
Spurgeon	66
Oakhaven	78
Towering Oaks Christmas Tourney	
Balmoral	51
Briarcrest	56

WON
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LOST
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B-Team



Bob Payne, Ty Carter, Gregg Porter, Scott Fisher, Tom Patterson, Peri Proctor, Keith Green, Wayne Moore, Mark Wakham.

9th Grade Team



TOP ROW - Jeff Beckman, Greg Taylor, Greg Burrage, James Phillips, Coach Craig Galloway, Don Morgan, Jeff Thomas, Jimmy Brock, Kirk Snow. FRONT ROW - Brad Smith, Hal Griggs, Lee Miller.

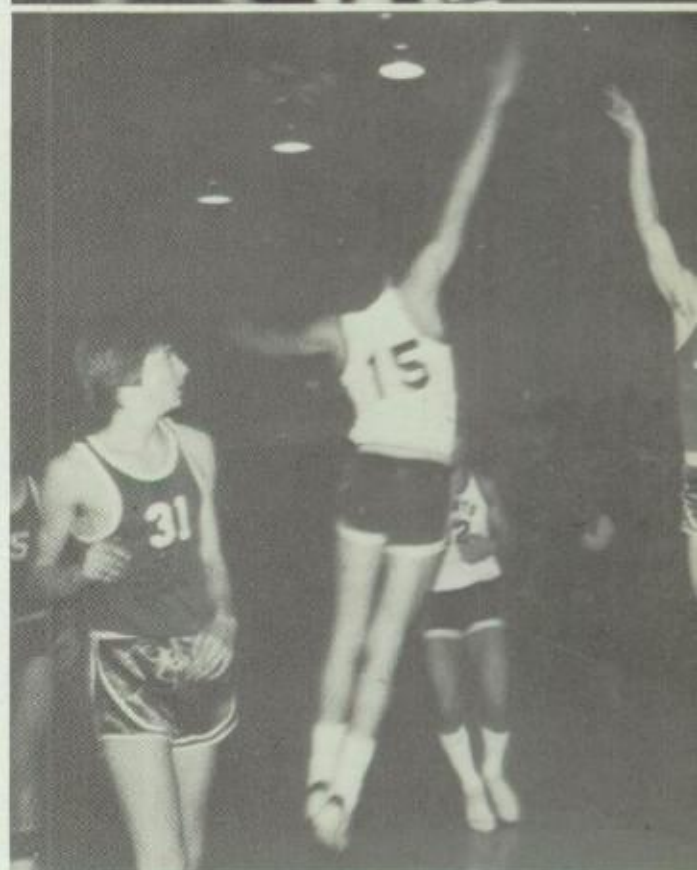
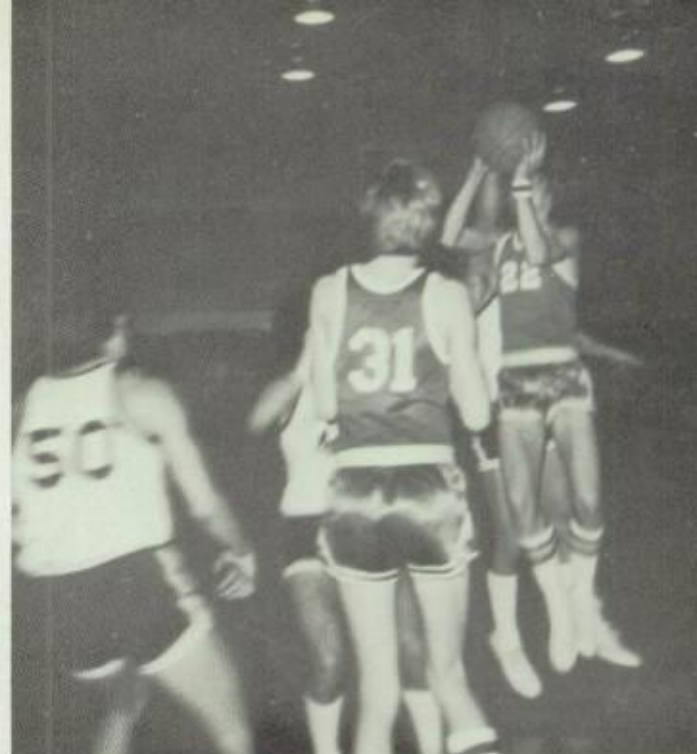
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48	Elliston	35
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64	Marshall	36
57	Spurgeon	19
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47	Memphis Prep	37
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7th and 8th Grade Basketball



COACH - RICK LINDER

Elementary Basketball



COACH - MAX TAYLOR



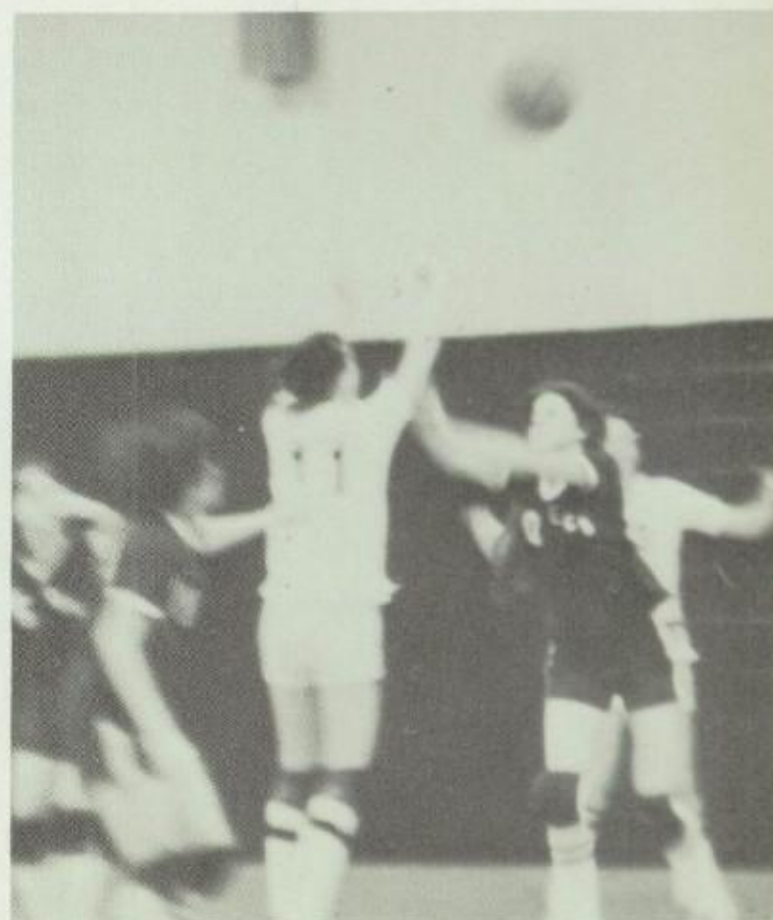
And Lisa said, "I don't want it!!!!"



Always reaching for the best.



"Eny Meny Miny Mo, Wondering which way to throw."



Now, now, let's be lady-like.



"Hey toots, get off MY FOOT!"

Jr. High Girls Basketball



FRONT ROW - Melanie Appling, Lou Diffy, Laura Riggins, Christy Bradly, Linda Reed. BACK ROW - Mrs. Belote, Lisa Shirey, Beth Johnson, Laura Gray, Leslie Kelly, Terri Dalton, Luann Loftiss, Lee Diffy.

ALL TOURNAMENT TEAM: Laura Gray
Leslie Kelly

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER: Tere Dalton

Record	
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16	2





FRONT ROW - Elyse Theobald, Jan Norrell, Cindi Lonon, Aleisha Russell, Lisa Denegri. BACK ROW - Barbara Emmons, Syzie Hodge, Laurie Linnert, Lisa Woods, Sharon Daley, Kim Brooks, Jayne Martin, Shelley Weeks, Ms. Bradford.

Girls Varsity Basketball

ALL CONFERENCE TEAM - Lisa Denegri

MOST REBOUNDS - Kim Brooks

CAPTAIN AWARDS - Jayne Martin, Laurie Linnert

MOST IMPROVED PLAYER - Lisa Denegri

MOST VALUABLE PLAYER - Jayne Martin

HIGH SCORER - Jayne Martin

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12	12



Sports

GOLF

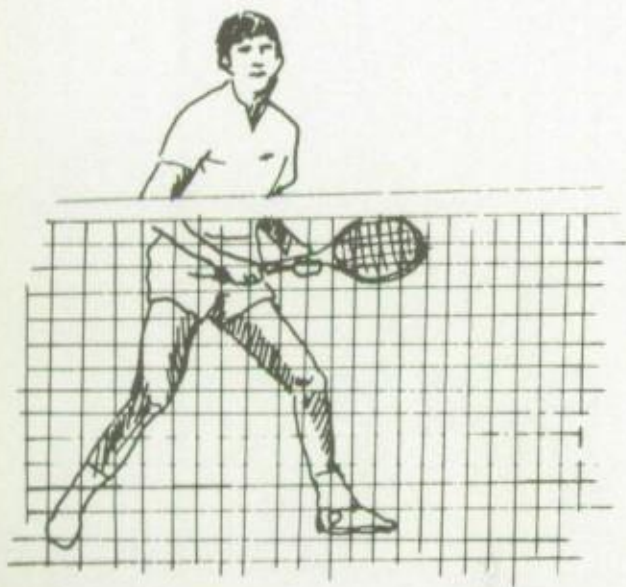
Tom Patterson was the 1974-1975 golf coach. For the season's ratings, the team broke even in matches. Because this was the first year for golf, we are proud of our team and appreciate their contribution to our school.

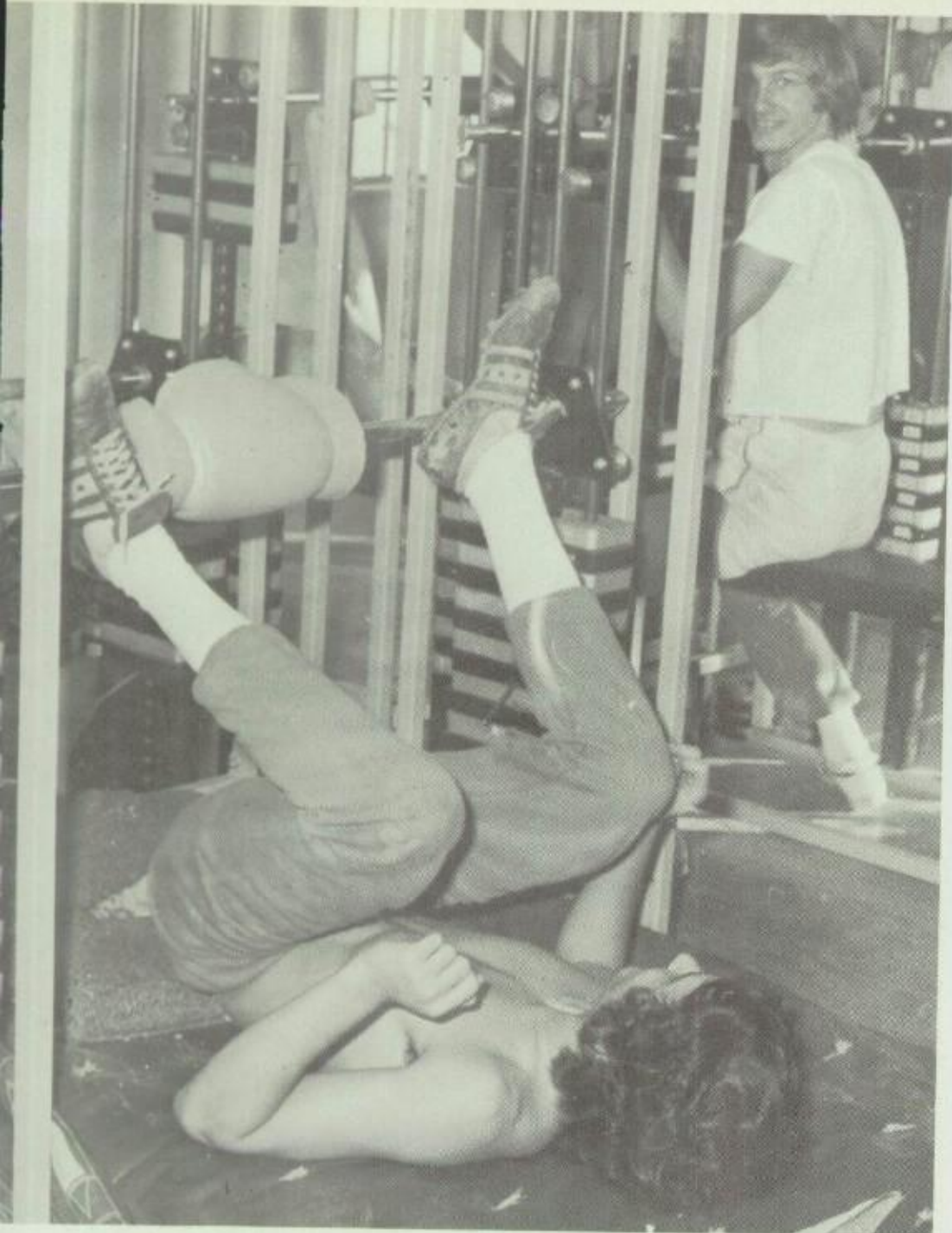
TENNIS

Roger Yancey coached the tennis team this year. We would like to thank all of those who practiced and did such an excellent job. We, the annual staff of Towering Oaks, are proud of their efforts this first year.

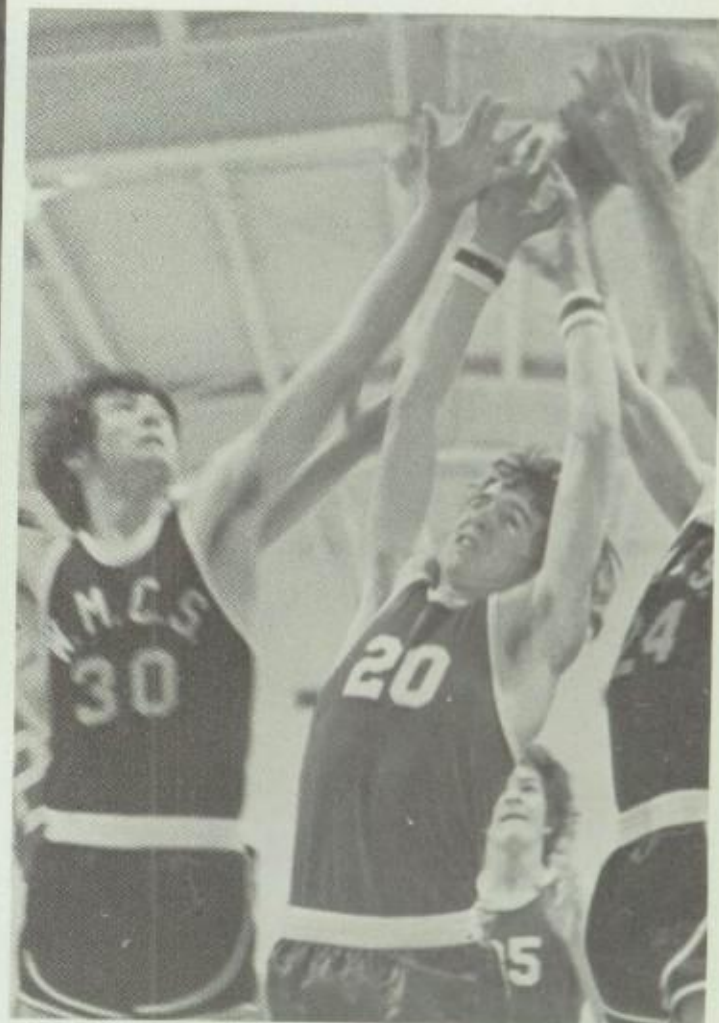
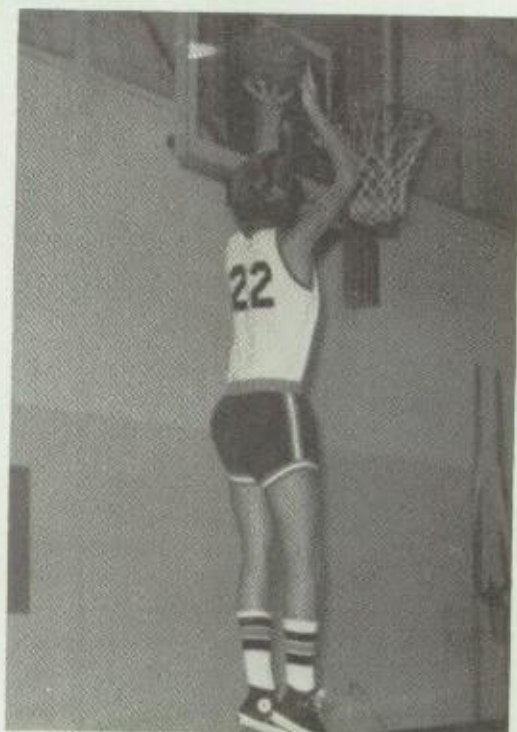
TRACK

Fred Yancey and Craig Galloway coached track during the outdoor track season. The majority of the team was sophomores and a league record in the mile relay was set by Phil Proctor, Dale Smith, Robert Ford, and Ricky Porter. The league long-jump was won by Phil Proctor.





Weightlifting is an important part of the sports program at Towering Oaks.



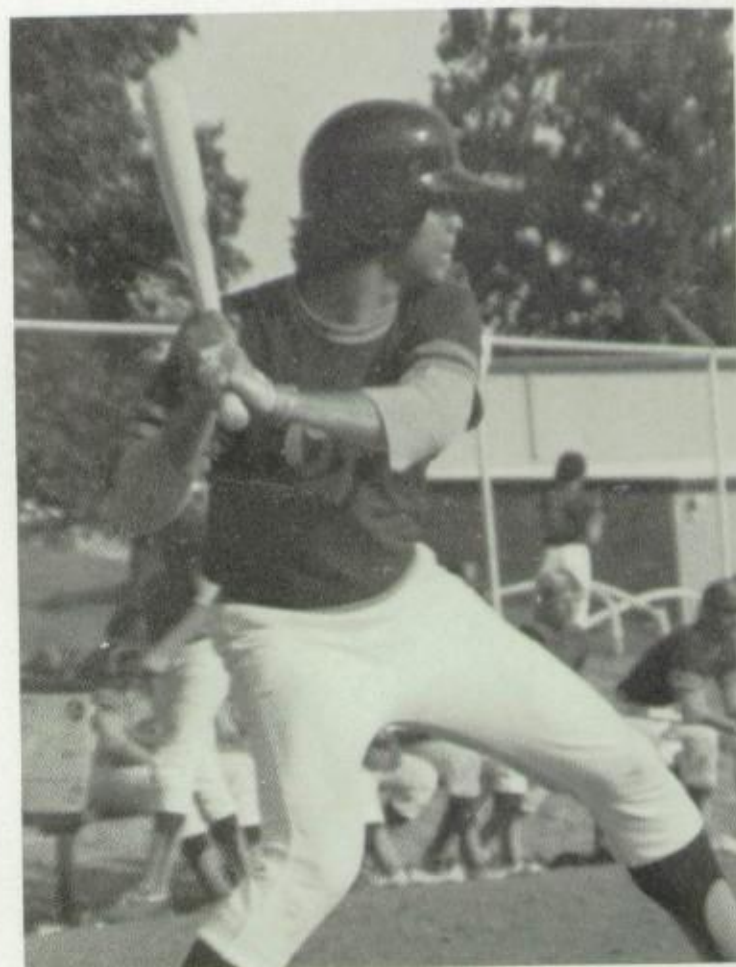
VARSITY BASEBALL

Towering Oaks

3	Rosemark	13
4	SBEC	2
6	Elliston	2
0	Skyview	13
2	Rosemark	4
2	SBEC	6
6	Glenmore	3
8	Skyview	1
8	OBA	0
4	Elliston	5
8	Memphis Prep	5
8	Memphis Prep	1
4	OBA	1

WON LOST

8 5



Besides our varsity baseball team, we also have a junior high baseball team who worked just as hard. These young men did an outstanding job.

Girls Varsity Softball finished their record with 5 wins and four loses. The teammate voted Most Valuable Player was Jayne Martin.

The Girls Junior High Softball Team finished with a record of 5 wins and 2 losses which placed them second in the league. The Most Valuable Player was Diane Chandler.



Activities



The Drama Club
of
TOWERING OAKS BAPTIST SCHOOL
presents
CURTAIN CALL FOR CLIFFORD

by
William Dalzell and
Newt Mitzman

April 18, 1975
7:30 P.M.

\$1.50

\$1.50

No

500



Now, now Miss Troutliver!



So nice to meet you!



Cast
Dennis Melton
Sharon Emmons
Karen Branim
Robert Wilkinson
Neil Loftiss
Valorie Lusby
Greg Shirey
Lucinda Burroughs
Jim Gray
Peggy Carter
Luanne Martin
Steve Liberto

The Drama Club
of
TOWERING OAKS BAPTIST SCHOOL

presents

ANDY HARDY

by
Aurania Rouverol

April 26, 1975
7:30 P.M.

\$1.50

\$1.50

No

500



I never knew Andy Hardy had it so good!

Cast
Bob Talley
Lisa Denegri
Dale Smith
Carol Haggard
Cindy Butler
Jody Griggs
Chuck Hoss
Cindy Butler
Ruth Woods
LeAnn Crawford
Leslie Ford
Mark Rivalto
Steve Chism
John Sanders
Lisa Mills
Luanne Martin



The line-up!

Miss Cute and Miss
Clumsy.



Miss Towering Oaks *Miss Jayne Martin*



Miss Jayne Martin won the title of Miss Towering Oaks on April 22, 1975. The evening was one of excitement and pleasure for the fifteen girls who participated in this event. Preceding the pageant, the girls gave a two-minute after dinner speech at Ireland's. The girls were judged on talent, formal wear, poise, personality, and speaking abilities.

1st Alternate Miss Janice Parker



Five Alternates



Suzy Hodge, fourth alternate, Carol Haggard, second alternate, Jayne Martin, Miss Towering Oaks, Janice Parker, first alternate, Leigh Ann Crawford, third alternate.





"Miss Congeniality"
Angie Deripaska

Escorts Were
 CHUCK HOSS
 and
 MARK RIVALTO



Our Master of
 Ceremonies was
 MR. KEN BRIXEY



Talent Was Special in the Miss Towering Oaks Pageant



"BA-BEE!!!"



"Howdy!!!"



"I could have danced all night
. . . but then again, it's against
the school rules!"

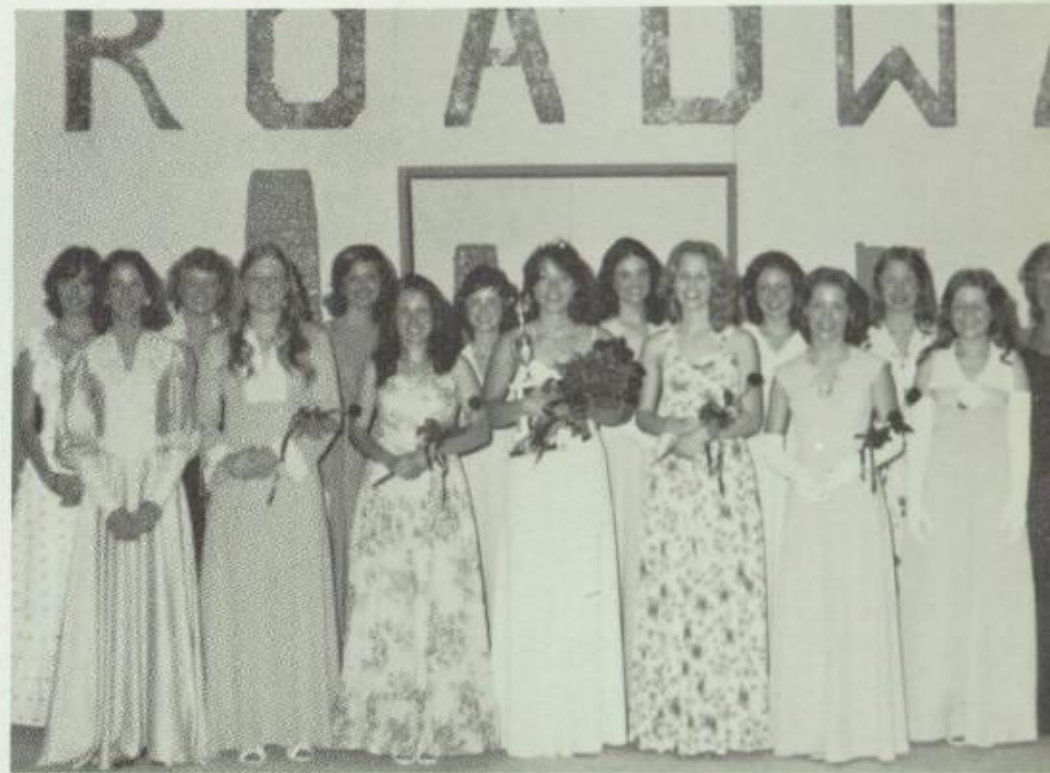


All you ever
wanted to
know about
Alice, but
were afraid
to ask



"Give My Regards
to Broadway"

All fifteen of our contestants
were winners in the hearts of
our audience.



All together now girls.

Suzy steps out to tip her
hat!



The "Oakie Awards" was a parody of such award shows, as the Emmys, the Oscars, and the Tonys. It was the annual staff's way of presenting our Hall of Fame and our class favorites. The students voted on seniors to represent the various categories in the Hall of Fame. The winners were kept secret until the day of the presentations.



Welcome to the "Oakie Awards."



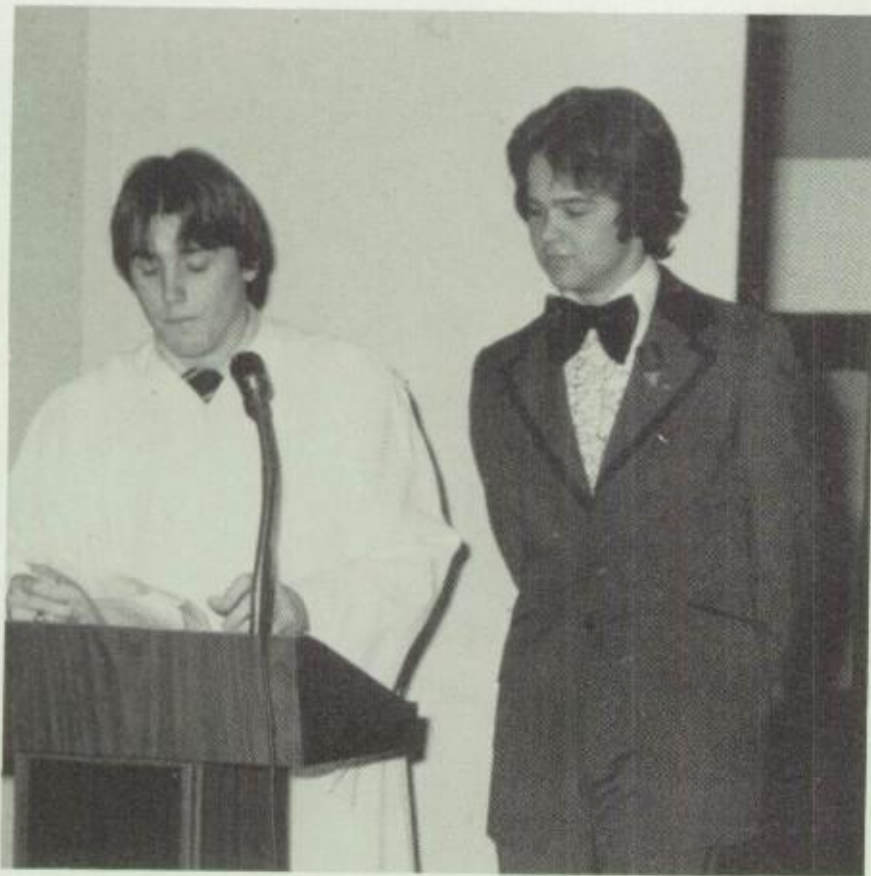
"Now, now Dennis - no not now Lisa, later, later."



Our sponsor was "Rice Krinkles."



"The Green Panther"



Bob waits patiently as Jon reads his "sped reading" announcement.



Janice and Mark read an award.



Mr. and Ms. Wong Chong Chop-sticks presented the "Most Likely to Succeed Award."



Mark gave LuAnn a hand. (He was expected to do so since they were presenting the Most Courteous Award).



"Miss Dirty"



Formal Wear and Tennis Shoes??? Well, consider the source - freaky LuAnn and Mike!!!



Everyone was amazed that Lisa changed formals TEN times!!



We enjoyed hearing a song from Jon.



LuAnn is always up in the air about something!!



The Oakies



Dennis Melton received an outstanding award in the "Hall of Fame." He received the most votes in each category and we, the Annual Staff, extend our congratulations to him.



We're so glad we had this time together.

Receiving the award in the Hall of Fame for the Best Personality were Lisa Mills and Steve Chism. Lisa was the 1974-75 editor for the annual and took an extreme interest in her role as both a student and leader. Steve was also extremely active his senior year playing various sports, one of which was varsity baseball. Both Lisa and Steve showed a great personality in Dr. Greene's production of ANDY HARDY. We, the annual staff, extend congratulations to both of these fine seniors.

Best Personality *Lisa Mills and Steve Chism*

The Hall of Fame is composed of seniors who were selected by secret ballot. Each senior was allowed one vote and the annual staff presented winners their "Oakies." The Class Favorites were selected by the individual classes.

Hall Of Fame

Leslie Ford and Chuck Hoss were selected as the friendliest couple in the 1975 Hall of Fame. Both seniors were selected to the National Honor Society and both Leslie and Chuck performed magnificently in the production of the Senior play.

Friendliest *Leslie Ford and Chuck Hoss*

Most Outstanding Leaders *Joan Pilkinton and Mike Winn*





Most Athletic
Lisa Denegri
Phil Proctor



Most Scholarly

Sharon Emmons
Dennis Melton

Most Courteous
Kim Mosteller
John Sanders

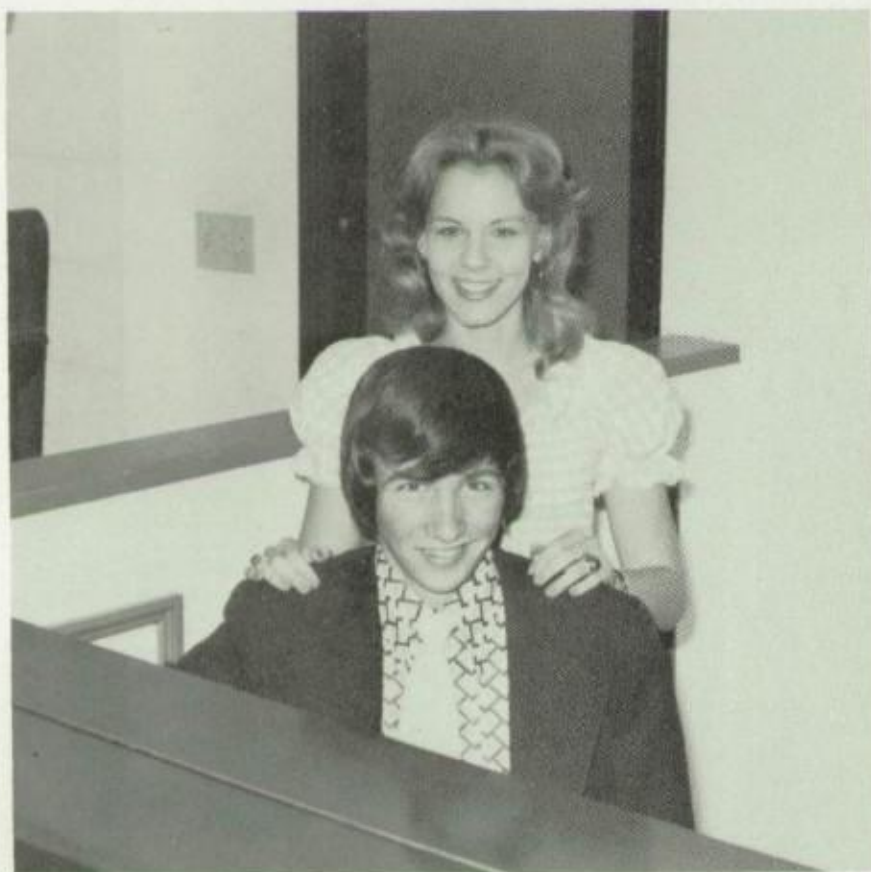


Most Likely To Succeed



*Mike McCormick
Karen Branim*

Most Talented



*Janice Parker
Jim Gray*

*Most
School-Spirited*



*Mark Rivalto
Leann Crawford*



*Wittiest
Luann Martin
Jon Hodge*

Class Favorites



*12th Grade Favorites
Bob Talley and Carol Haggard*



*11th Grade Favorites
Pat Proctor and Pam Judd*

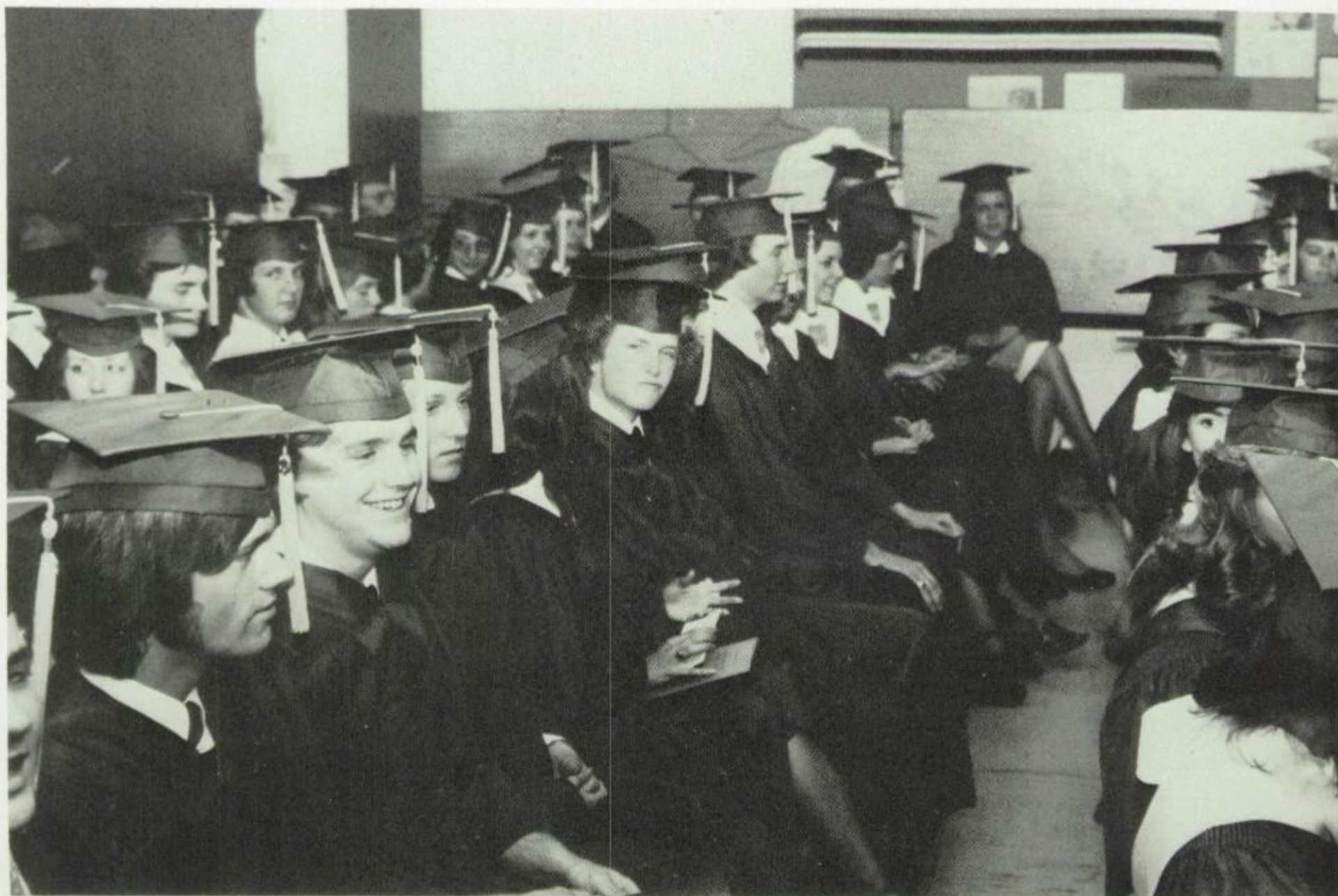


*10th Grade Favorites
Mike Hall and Dana King*

Diane Chandler and Jimmy Brock were selected as the ninth grade class favorites. Both students are active in school, sports, and out-of-class activities. Jimmy's specialty was basketball, while Diane, a cheerleader, cheered our team on to victories. Diane is also a member of the National Honor Society, and we, the annual staff, congratulate Diane and Jimmy for winning the title of Freshman Class Favorites.

*9th Grade Favorites
Diane Chandler
Jimmy Brock*

On May 18th Towering Oaks Baptist Church and School meet together for a Baccalaureate Service. The Seniors marched in a dignified manner and were attentive listeners to the address delivered by Brother Taylor. On May 23rd our first graduating class of 54 seniors left Towering Oaks and their high school memories behind. The valedictorian for the class was Lisa Denegri and the salutatorian was Lucinda Burroughs. Three speakers, Mike Winn, Carol Haggard, and Denise Melton, addressed the large audience. Finally the diplomas were given out by Mr. Childs and Mr. Patterson, the class sponsor. The Seniors were now ready to step over the threshold of the future.

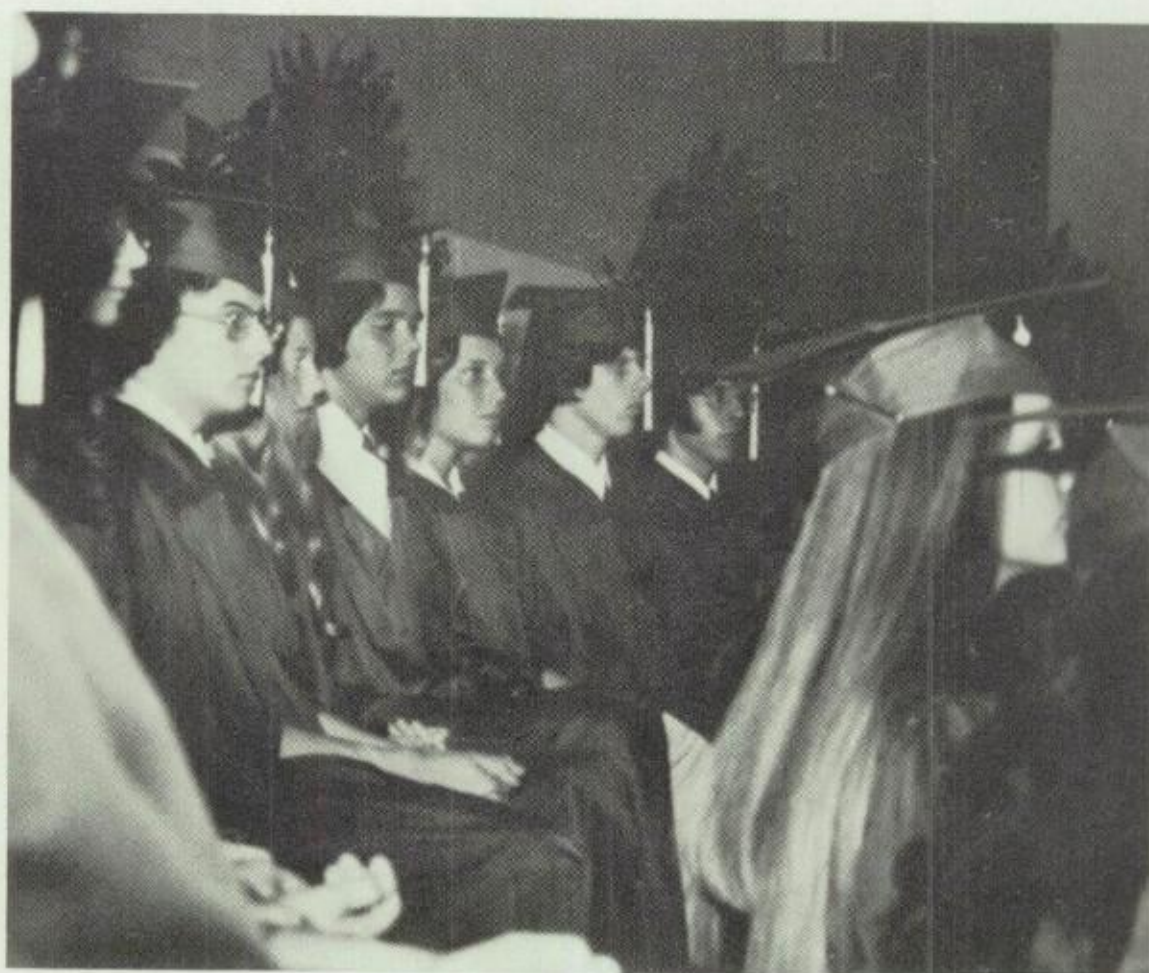


JON: "Hey Jody where's your Honor Society collar?"

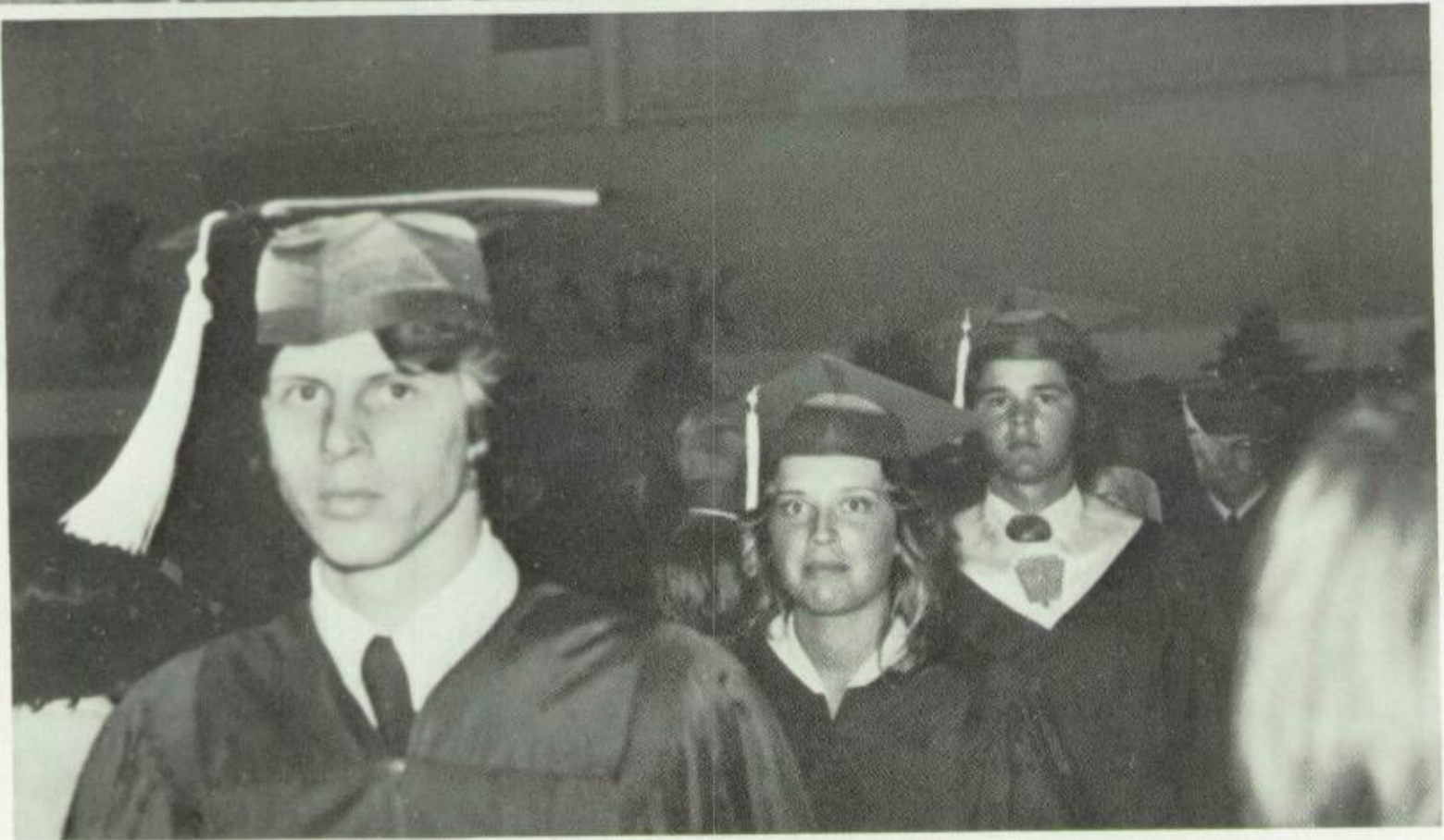
JODY: "Oh, I left it at home, I didn't want to show off!!!"



Lisa Denegri, valedictorian of the 1975 graduating class, leads the seniors to the platform.



The final moments were sincere.



Tomering Oaks Baptist School

Memphis

Tennessee

This is to certify that

Jonathan Lee Hodge

*has satisfactorily completed the Course of Study prescribed by this school,
and having met the requirements for graduation, is entitled to this*

Diploma

*In Testimony whereof, the undersigned have affixed their signatures
this month of May, 1975*

Dan J. Childs
HEADMASTER

Maif L. Jafol
ADMINISTRATOR

What it is all about!?

Ads

OK

To: Football Squad
From: Fred Yancey
Subject: I will persist. I will win

I will persist until I succeed. I recognize the fact that I am tested in life. If I continue to try, to drive forward, I will succeed.

I was not delivered into this world in defeat, nor does failure course in my veins. I am not a sheep waiting to be prodded by the shepherd. I am a lion and I refuse to walk, talk, and sleep with the sheep. I will not hear those who complain and cry because that disease is contagious. Let them join the sheep. The slaughterhouse of failure is not my destiny. I will persist until I succeed.

The prizes of life are at the end of each journey, not at the beginning; and it is not known to me just how many steps are needed to reach that goal. Failure I may encounter after the thousandth step, yet success may be hiding behind the next step. If that is of no avail, I will take another and another. I will persist until I succeed.

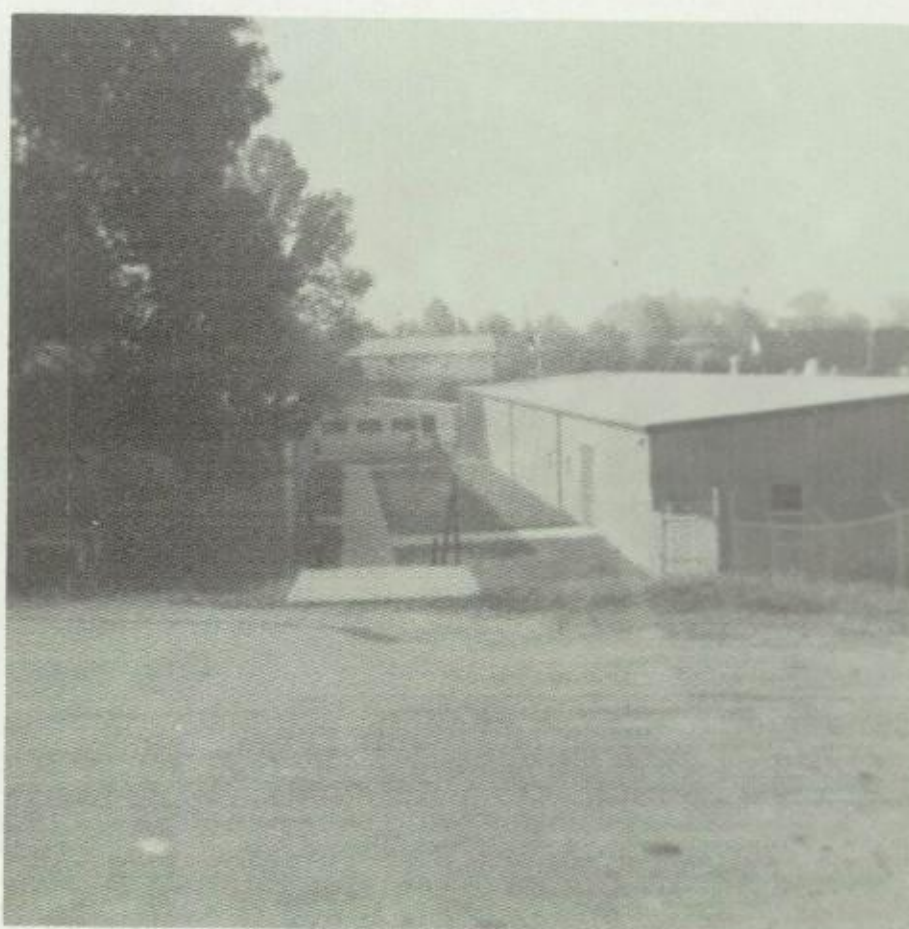
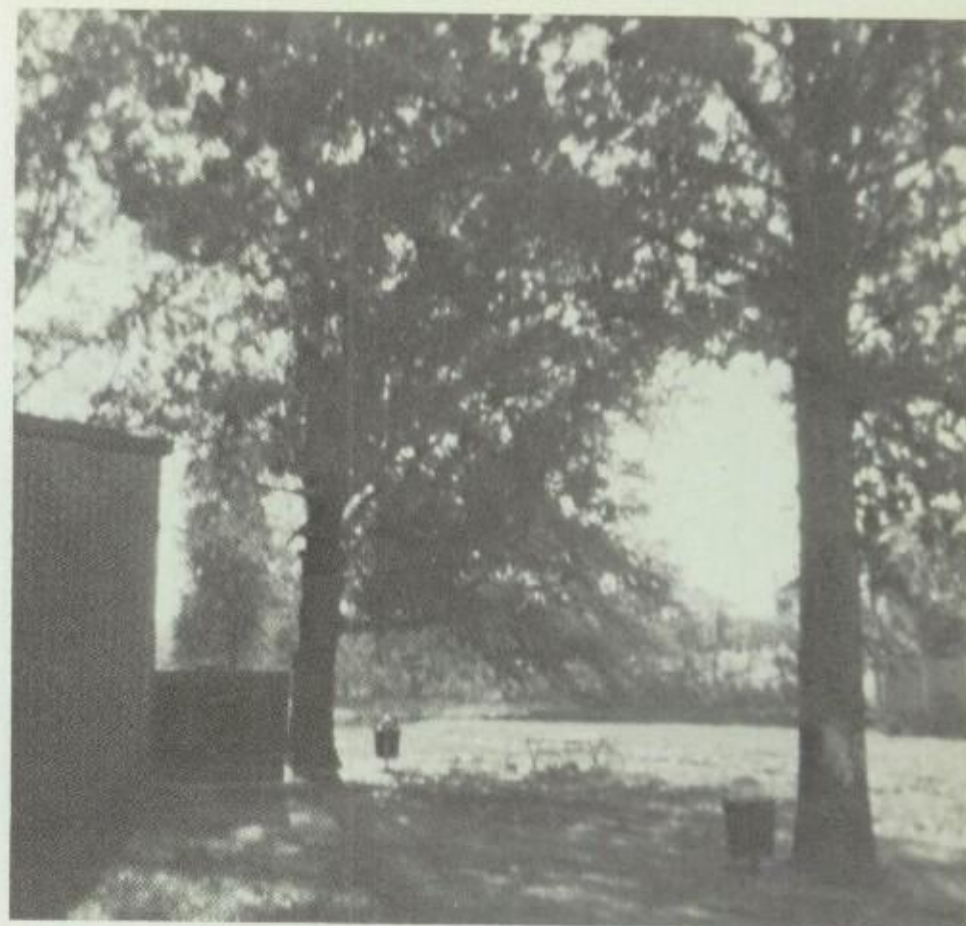
I will be liken to the raindrop that washes away the mountain: the ant who devours a tiger: the star which brightens the earth: the first brick in a pyramid. I will know that my repeated attempts, no matter how small, will eventually complete my task. I will persist until I succeed.

I will never consider defeat and I will remove from my vocabulary such words and phrases as quit, cannot, unable, impossible, out of the question, improbable, failure, unworkable, hopeless, and retreat, for they are the words of losers. I will avoid despair but if this disease of the mind should infect me, I will work on in despair. I will toil and I will endure. I will ignore the obstacles at my feet and keep mine eyes on the goals above my head. I will persist until I succeed.

I will remember the ancient law of averages and I will bend it to my good. I will persist with knowledge that each failure will increase my chance for success at the next attempt. Each misfortune I encounter will carry in it the good fortune of tomorrow. I must have the night to appreciate the day. I must fail several times to succeed once. I will persist until I succeed.

Henceforth, I will learn and apply another secret of those who excel. When each day is gone, not regarding whether it has been a success or a failure, I will attempt to add a winning item. Even though my tired body and mind beckon me to rest, I will attempt to add one more successful note that will also lay groundwork for the next day. Never will I allow my day to end with failure. Thus will I plant the seed of tomorrow's success and gain an insurmountable advantage over those who quit at a prescribed time. I will persist until I succeed.

Og Mandino, THE GREATEST SALESMAN IN THE WORLD



This year is over now and our campus is quiet and peaceful. No longer do we hear the elementary physical education or the slamming of lockers in the halls. We are all busy at summer jobs or summer dreams, but we are anxiously waiting for the next year to begin so we can renew old friendships.

Back the Pack

"THE MEANING OF ONENESS"

Now this is the law of the jungle,
As old and as true as the sky;
And the wolf that shall break it must die.
As the vine that girdles the tree trunk,
The law runneth forward and back;
The strength of the pack is the wolf
And the strength of the wolf is the pack.

And this is the law of the Wolf Pack,
As true as the flight of the ball;
And the player who keeps it shall prosper,
But the player who breaks it must fall.
As the ball and the parts it is made of
Are bound and held fast by the seam,
The strength of the team is the player,
The strength of the player, the team.

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May the Lord
be with you in
your athletics and studies.

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